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BLACK HAND LEADERS IN JAIL, IS BELIEF

One Prisoner Declared to Be Implicated in Murder of Detective Petrosino

THREATENING LETTERS HELD AS EVIDENCE

Captured Men Said to Have Made Fortunes Out of Their Crimes

CINCINNATI, O., June 9.—Operations in nearly every large city in the United States and the ramifications of the secret service in Italy will be laid bare, it is expected, when the Black Hand gang which was rounded up in Columbus and Marion, Ohio, by postoffice inspectors of Cincinnati, are brought to trial.

Inspector in Chief Holmes says the evidence gathered by his men and by the police of several cities is voluminous and there can be no doubt that the crimes of blackmail, extortion and threatened and attempted murder will be fastened upon the men.

In addition to the arrest of four Sicilians in Marion, Columbus and Denison, Tuesday Joe Rizzo and Sam Rizzo were taken into custody in Marion Tuesday night. Those arrested early in the day were Sam Lima, said to be the ring-leader of the band in the United States, and Joe Rizzo in Marion, Antonio Marchese in Denison and Colangelo Viccarini in Baltimore.

Find Headquarters

The letters were the following: Letters sent to John A. Brown, a wealthy fruit dealer of Columbus, Ohio. The inspectors say they have evidence that a room in the rear of a little fruit store in Marion, conducted by the Sicilians, was headquarters of the society in this country and that found in a safe there letters which will throw light on many successful attempts to extort money from wealthy Italians in Ohio. New York, Pennsylvania and other states.

Certain of Conviction

The officers declare they now have sufficient evidence to convict. The New York police officials who are carrying on the detective work started by Joseph Petrosino, who was killed in Sicily, have been working on the theory that there is no extensive black hand organization, but that the operations have been conducted by a few different individuals who have no connection with each other. But the work of the Cincinnati officers tending to show that the New York experts have been wrong in their theory and that not only has the black hand a national organization in the United States, but that it is directly allied with a similar organization in Sicily and is working in connection with the Mafia or Order of the Pentura, as it has more recently been known in this country.

Money Sent to Italy

The conspirators are alleged to have sent \$3000 monthly to Italy. It is said the officers have found the society is an iron-bound organization, membership in which is invested with blood-curdling oaths grips past words and signs.

Find Evidence

On the second night, arrested with Lima and Sam Rizzo and Sebastian Rizzo have been released. Both of these men were section hands. They were associates of Lima and in their trunk the secret service agents found letters of the same character as the collection taken from the safe of Lima's store.

While the authorities here are awaiting the arrival of United States Marshal Chandler from Cleveland, who will take Rizzo and Batazoli to Toledo, secret service operatives are searching for Italians in neighboring cities who are suspected of implication in an extortion plot that has netted the band thousands of dollars within the last few months. Some of the suspects are being sought by Eugene More, Lima's father, who is wanted, is said to be in Upper Sausdewy and the police there have been asked to apprehend him.

A brother of the alleged leader of the

PASTOR ACCUSED OF MURDER BY NEGLECTING WIFE

TUCUMCARI, N. M., June 9.—Murder, the result of willful neglect, is the charge brought against Rev. Jesse Fenton, pastor of the Holiness Church at San Juan, N. M., who was brought here today in charge of officers and lodged in jail. It is charged that Rev. Fenton refused to summon medical attendance for his wife when she was taken ill recently, and that he allowed her to die.

ASK \$194,000 OF CITY FOR PUBLIC PARKS

Money Is Required to Make Necessary Improvements, Declares Edoff

SUM SOUGHT WILL BE SMALLER YEARLY

When Gardens Are Completed No Great Amount Will Be Needed

The park commission recently appointed by Mayor Mott after weeks of careful deliberation, has come forward with a request that during the coming fiscal year that the sum of \$194,000 be appropriated for the improvement of the park property owned by the city. This sum will be the heaviest demanded by the commission in subsequent years. A smaller amount will suffice. This year the outlay will be heavy for the foundation for all future work will be laid.

In speaking of the necessity for so large an appropriation Park Commissioner Edoff says: "While the sum appears large at first glance, it is not. The estimate has been prepared with great care and the sum of \$194,000 represents actually what it is needed to make the start in the matter of parks. This year the foundation for all future work must be laid. There are the West Oakland Park, De Fremery, Adams Point Park, and the other properties owned by the city.

"At least three of the parks are practically virgin. Nothing has been done with any of them and we are to make a showing at all the sum of \$194,000 will be required.

"We have already developed our own water supply in Independence Square. We have a daily capacity there of 10,000 gallons. A water supply in the other parks will be developed as soon as possible.

"We are confronted with one of the largest undertakings given to any commission. We have spent much time on it. If the appropriation of \$194,000 is not made we will be making a commission in name only. We have only this far considered actual necessities."

Secures Judgment Against Geo. Roeth

According to all available records, Albert L. Kivins and Frank H. Borswill were given a judgment of \$750 this morning against George Roeth, former president of the Union National Bank, by the oldest jury that has ever tried a case in the Superior Court of Alameda county.

The aggregate age of the twelve "good men and true" was 816 years, making the average 68 years. The youngest juror was 56 years old, and the oldest 80 years.

The suit involved a commission of \$1500, which plaintiffs claimed Roeth owed to them in a certain real estate transaction. The jury simply split the claim in two.

Heney Announces His Candidacy

SAN FRANCISCO, June 9.—The announcement is made positively this afternoon that Francis J. Heney will be a candidate for District Attorney at the coming election. He says he has consented to enter the fight, as he wishes to continue the graft prosecution in which he now is engaged. It is generally understood that he will run as a Republican.

UNION MEN TO PROBE LEAK OF LABOR SECRETS

Allegations Against C. W. Poole Taken Up by Building Trades Council

COMMITTEE WILL PASS ON ACTION TO BE TAKEN

Gravity of the Situation is Creating Sensation in Labor Circles

Nothing in years has created the sensation in labor circles to equal the allegations against C. W. Poole, a member of the executive council of the Building Trades Council and business agent of the Stationary Engineers' Union, that he has, contrary to his obligation, as a union man, been flitting with the Citizens' Alliance, the avowed enemy of unionism. Last night the matter was referred to the delegates of the Building Trades Council by the executive committee of that body and a committee was appointed to investigate the matter. This committee is to meet next Monday night and ascertain the grounds for the charges and formulate formal charges if the circumstances warrant it so that the Building Trades Council can try the offending member and discipline him if found guilty.

So secretly has the matter been under investigation that there are members of the committee itself who are not fully conversant with all the facts in the case. In fact, the first knowledge that a majority of the labor men of the city had that even a suspicion was entertained against Poole came with the publication of the fact in last Sunday's TRIBUNE.

Secrets Leak Out

For a long time there has been a suspicion that the affairs of the Building Trades Council were fully as well known among their enemies as they were among the membership. In fact, it was known that questions which should only be known to the executive committee were also known to the Citizens' Alliance. On more than one occasion some matters which had been planned for accomplishment were found to have been leaked by the foreknowledge on the part of the parties at which they were aimed. This could only come from the fact that some person on the inside of the council had been handing out information in a traitorous manner.

Of Vital Importance

This explains the gravity of the matter now at issue and its vital importance to the unions. That secret matters should be known to the enemy is a matter of which the executive committee should be made known to the members of the Building Trades Council were told of them, creates an issue which is probably as serious as anything which could be imagined. The whole fate of the unions is involved in the matter and the culpability of those entrusted with the vital issues of the unions is a serious matter.

Takes Up Grievances

For a sample illustration, a union wishes to declare a strike, or even has a grievance. Perhaps it may be placed upon a request having been decided upon, they apply to the Building Trades Council for permission to make their demand or to take the action they have decided upon. The matter is discussed by the Trades Council, which is made up of delegates from all of the unions representing all of the branches of labor affiliated with building construction. It is there that the matter is decided upon, the points affecting each trade being brought out. The action of the body is final. Occasionally a union will file in the office of the Building Trades Council, as has been done many times, but when it is done this body withdraws its aid from the union and the union must fight its own battles.

Seriousness of Charges

All of which, as stated before, goes to show the importance of the issue now before the body, that one of its trusted executives has betrayed the inner secrets and the counsels of the unions to those whom they consider their natural enemy and against whom they are united and for which the unions are formed.

The officers of the council are disappointed that the matter should have become public before the question was permitted to have run the course of red tape. On the other hand, the knowledge that such suspicions and charges

Chief Wilson Takes Part in Wild Auto Ride in Which Lawyer Is Shot

SHOOT TO HALT SPEED-BURNER

Local Police Officer Guest of Eastern Officials During Exciting Chase



"GROSSLY EXCESSIVE," IS COTTON BROS.' BILL, SAY GRAND JURORS

Body Suggests Changes in System of Handling County Finances, Which Would Prevent Such Charges

The Grand Jury made its first partial report to Judge Brown in the Criminal Department of the Superior Court shortly after 11 o'clock this morning. The report deals with the charges made by Messrs. Cotton Bros. & Co., covering bridge work for the county, and says that the charge for the work in question is excessive and the system which permits such a charge is grossly wrong. It recommends a complete revision of the system under which such work is let by the Board of Supervisors.

Jury's Report

The Grand Jury of the County of Alameda hereby submits a partial report as follows: The Grand Jury has investigated Claim No. 3575 of Cotton Bros. & Co., in the sum of \$5845.11, being for bridge work, the terms of which are as follows: Freight on tools and machinery from Oakland \$ 48.49 Lumber from Livermore yard, 10,255 feet pine at \$22.00 225.65 Lumber from Livermore yard, 1220 feet redwood at \$28.00 341.60 800 empty sacks at 35 28.00 800 empty sacks at 65 52.00 180 empty cement sacks at 10 1.80 4844 yards gravel delivered at \$1.10 532.85 Corrugated steel bars, 11,520 lbs at \$3.25 372.00 452 bbls. cement at \$2.25 1017.00 Hardware bills 61.38 Blacksmith bills 35.60 Six tons nails at \$3.00 18.00 Distillate and freights 27.78 Lumber from San Francisco, 19,852 pieces to and from Livermore 379.75 Freight on same 67.91 Coal, 3 tons, at \$13.00 39.00 Cartage lumber, cement etc. 179.55 Sundry freights, expressage and phones 27.80 Paces to and from 46.00 Labor as per pay rolls Feb 2nd to May 10th, 1909 2537.65 3-25 to 5-10 3 in centrifugal pump and mach. 35 days at \$6.210. 4-2 to 5-10 pile driver and machinery, 25 days at \$18.396. 1326.00 Salvage lumber sold 75.00

Enormity of Bill

The enormity of this bill is shown by two facts, viz.: First: That there is a clear profit to Cotton Bros. & Company on this claim of 41 2-3 per cent of the amount actually expended; and Second: That the bridge originally cost \$3410, while the repairs to the foundation of the piers and one bulkhead amount to \$3854.51.

This charge is grossly excessive, and the system which permits such a charge is radically wrong, and without any regard, whatever, for the protection of the taxpayer.

We realize that, at times, it is necessary for the Board to let emergency

18-YEAR-OLD GIRL ELOPES WITH MAN AGED 50

Pretty Fitchburg Maiden Is Bride of Bachelor Captain

CUPID'S SURPRISE IS KEPT DEEP SECRET

Couple Leave For an Extended Honeymoon to Cities in South

Of more than usual interest is the romantic elopement of Miss Josephine Rose Muller of Fitchburg, the pretty 18-year-old daughter of James Muller, manager of the Greater San Francisco Cracker Company, and Captain Morris Windreick, aged 50, of the steamer Bandon, plying between San Francisco and Los Angeles, which came to light last night when the bride confided to a friend the fact that they had been made man and wife last Monday.

Mrs. Windreick accompanied her husband on the latter's ship, which left this morning for Los Angeles, where they will spend their honeymoon.

Comes as Surprise

Captain Windreick is well known in shipping circles, and the news of his marriage will come as a shock to many of his friends, as he was regarded as a confirmed bachelor.

They will admit, however, that he showed "class" when he wooed and won the charming Miss Muller, and took her to sea with him as his bride, and all during these weeks' acquaintance.

One of the most interesting features in the elopement is the fact that the bride's mother knew nothing of the marriage up to a late hour last night, Miss Muller having told her mother when she left for San Francisco Monday that she would visit an aunt.

The captain and his child wife were married by the Rev. J. Wilmer of San Francisco.

Wife Repents; Wants To Free Husband

SAN FRANCISCO, June 8.—"In the name of God and Justice, let me make a statement." Exclaiming this in the midst of a wrangle between counsel in the case of the People vs. Francis J. Love, charged with attempting to poison his wife by putting arsenic in her food, Judge Deasy's court room this morning and attempted to climb the witness stand.

His wife, Caroline O. Gorman, who is the daughter of Robert Edgar, a well-known mine owner of Fureka, Nevada, sets forth numerous charges of cruelty and asserts that no husband on one occasion beat her into insensibility and threatened her life. She asserts that since the wedding her husband has accumulated \$25,000 in addition to his original fortune, and she requests that she be given one-half of this sum by way of permanent alimony.

Prominent Nevadan Sued For Divorce

SAN FRANCISCO, June 9.—James Gorman, one of Nevada's most prominent citizens, who has large property interests in Wadsworth and Elko, and owns a large hotel at the former place, was made defendant in a suit for divorce this morning.

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Spokane Rate Case Goes Over Till Fall

WASHINGTON, June 9.—An agreement was reached today between the Interstate Commerce Commission and the parties interested in the Spokane rate case, including the shipping interests and the railroads, the phases of the question yet in controversy should be postponed until next fall, when the whole matter will be thrust back on its merits.

It was agreed that the defendant railroads should file with the commission charges in accordance with the decision of the commission announced a few weeks ago, but that the commission's rates should remain as they now are until the entire question could be gone over by the commission.

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WITH AX GUARDS CAPTURE BLACK
IMAGINARY HAND LEADERS
RICHES

Constable, After Desperate
Struggle Disarms Aged
Insane Man

THREATENS WITH DEATH
ALL WHO GO NEAR HIM

Barricades Door and Stands
Guard of Gold His Disordered
Brain Creates

HAYWARD, June 9.—Imagining himself the possessor of untold wealth, Michael Givoni, a shoe-maker, yesterday morning, after barricading himself in his home, and with a thought of the attempts of neighbors to enter the place.

For two days and nights the man remained in the seclusion of his home, only appearing at intervals with the axe to "chop off" those whom he imagined intended to deprive him of his gold, a reaction of his disordered brain.

Taken Prisoner
Constable W. J. Ramage last night broke into the house, and after a struggle, disarmed the man. This morning he was taken to the county jail on a complaint of Dr. William Hagenbaugh, Givoni's neighbor and landlord.

Givoni, for some time past, has been acting strangely. His mental health, it is said, has been steadily declining, and he has been heard to say that he was "rich" and "powerful" and that he would "kill all who came near him."

Shouts Warning
The constable was continually receiving imaginary threats from the man, and he was warned that he was "rich" and "powerful" and that he would "kill all who came near him."

Charges Against C. W. Poole
of Union Will Be Thoroughly
Probed

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are made is welcomed by many of the union men who feel that the full investigation is demanded and must be made. As in other bodies, charges are made by one of the members, which has caused many a man to be expelled from the ranks of the union, which is a very serious matter, and which is a very serious matter.

Simon Is Elected
Mayor of Portland

PORTLAND, Ore., June 9.—Committee members from Monday's election in the city of Portland, Ore., have elected Simon as mayor. The election was held on Monday, June 7, and the results were announced today.

CHARGES DESERTION
Sheriff Barnett this morning received word from the authorities of Fairfield, Sonoma county, the Percy Wolf, wanted here for desertion, had been arrested.

Two Steamers Sink
In Canadian Canal

SUVAIT, STR. MARIT, Mich., June 9.—The steamer Perry G. Walker, of the Great Lakes line, and the steamer Perry G. Walker, of the Great Lakes line, were sunk in the Canadian canal.

WILL TRY NEW CHEMICAL
TO LAY DUST ON STREETS

Sheriff Walker of the Merchants' Exchange appeared before the board of public works this morning and advocated the use of a new chemical to lay dust on the streets.

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GEORGE E. STARR, TREASURER
OF UNITED RAILROADS, IS
WITNESS IN CALHOUN CASE

Prosecutor Heney Again Fails in His Attempt to
Force Company to Bring Vouchers of
Expenditures Into Court

SAN FRANCISCO, June 9.—The famous missing witness, George E. Starr, treasurer of the United Railroads, whom Special Prosecutor Francis J. Heney has frequently insinuated was purposely remaining in New York, and holding aloof from the trial in this city, took the stand at the commencement of the Calhoun trial today.

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WIDOW VALUES
LOVE AT \$1000

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SAN FRANCISCO, June 9.—Alleging that Fred Huter refused to make good his proposal of marriage, Mrs. Maria Huter, widow of the late Fred Huter, brought suit for a breach of promise against him.

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OFFICER STOPS
MOB WITH RIFLE

Indian Assaultant of Child Has
Narrow Escape From
Lynching

PHOENIX, A. T., June 9.—The Apache Indian known as Sidney Smith, who last evening assaulted an 18-months old child of Edwin Allen, at Lehi, is now in the county jail here after narrowly escaping lynching in his transfer from Mesa City.

The Indian, after his capture last night, was turned over to Constable Burton of Mesa City. Feeling the inflamed populace, Burton took him to the Tempe jail secretly.

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BY GRAND JURY

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contracts, which power is given to them by law, yet the method followed by the Board of Supervisors in this instance fosters excessive charges against the county.

Expert testimony produced before the Grand Jury shows that 20 per cent for supervision is excessive and that the charge which is customary to the trade is from eight to ten per cent.

Changes Recommended
The Grand Jury recommends that whenever it is essential to have emergency work done, that the Surveyor and the Board of Supervisors take the matter up with the contractor and agree upon the price before letting the work.

Call a Branch Office
In the call building, was the answer. "Don't you know that the District Attorney's office is in the Grant building?"

Defense Sustained
When this subject had been exhausted, the witness was interrogated as to whether he had a talk with William Abbott at the time he was acting mayor in 1906.

Woman Is Witness
Mrs. Alexander Lathan, wife of Rufus Lathan, was the first witness of the afternoon. She told of traveling in an automobile to Denver with her husband, and Mr. and Mrs. Harry Clark, the former the father-in-law of Lathan.

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ROYAL Baking Powder
Absolutely PURE
The only Baking Powder made from Royal Grape Cream of Tartar
Makes the finest, most delicious biscuit, cake and pastry; conveys to food the most healthful of fruit properties.

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CHIEF WILSON IN WILD AUTO RIDE
Takes Part in Chase Which Ends in Wounding of Lawyer

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lowed up by a volley of "snare" shots fired by the detective.

Traffic Scatters
"You had better halt, I shall shoot true next time," yelled the chief. By this time both machines were almost in the heart of the business district and traffic was scattering wildly to make way for the oncoming machines.

Prominent Lawyer
Dowlen is one of the foremost lawyers and a large property holder in this city. He will be held to answer to a charge of breaking the speed limit in direct defiance of official command to halt.

As to Lotteries
The attention of the grand jury has been directed to lotteries in the City of Oakland. A number of witnesses, including various city officials and the justices and acting justices of the police courts, have been examined upon this matter.

Seven-piece Sterling China Set--vegetable slicer--bread slicer--slaw cutter--heavy nicked crumb tray and scraper--sleeve board and fancy stone water pitcher--The above articles will be given away absolutely free with every coal or gas range sold during this month over the value of \$20.

Busey Furniture Co.
410-412 SAN PABLO AVE.
The Malleable Steel Range stands without a peer for durability and perfect cooking qualities. We will set one up in your home for \$1 down and \$1 per week.
Acorn Gas ranges are unequalled for economy, convenience and durability. Set up in your home. \$1 down and \$1 per week.

The Union Savings Bank
OF OAKLAND, CAL.
Northeast Corner Broadway and Thirteenth St.
SAVINGS AND COMMERCIAL
CAPITAL AND SURPLUS \$637,500.00
DEPOSITS 4,983,023.68
OFFICERS:
Wm. G. Henshaw, President
Victor H. Metcalf, Vice-President
Chas. T. Rodolph, Vice-President
A. E. H. Grant, Cashier
L. E. Boardman, Assistant Cashier
C. F. Gorman, Assistant Cashier
Rate Paid on All Savings Deposits 4 Per Cent
A General Banking Business Transacted.

ROSENTHAL'S NEW STORE IN
SAN FRANCISCO HAS AN
AUSPICIOUS OPENING
Rosenthal's Shoe Shop Again Located in Downtown San Francisco, One of the Finest in the World.
A NOTHER of the downtown openings, which have so strikingly marked the rising of the new San Francisco, took place Monday, when the shoe shop of Rosenthal's (Inc.), at 161 to 163 Post street, between Kearny street and Grant avenue, opened for business.

50,000 Try "Swissco" With Marvelous Results

50,000 Bottles Given Away Free in Oakland During Past Few Days, Which Has Proved the Marvelous Merits of "Swissco," the New Hair and Scalp Remedy.

Grows New Hair. Removes Dandruff, Brings Back Natural Color to the Hair, and Stops All Hair and Scalp Troubles.

DANDRUFF IS EASILY CURED

By using "Swissco." Sometimes a single treatment will do it. It is thoroughly applied to the scalp after cleansing it with "Swissco" Cleanser, which accompanies each bottle of the remedy. All scalp diseases yield to this treatment and it quickly restores gray or faded hair to its natural color. A trial will speedily convince you.

FALLING HAIR IS SICK HAIR

"Swissco" cures it, makes hair healthy, starts a new growth and covers bald spots. Natural color restored. Dandruff cured. Inflammation stopped. All germs hidden under scale or dandruff that are sapping the life of the hair are destroyed and health and vigor renewed. Try a bottle today. It will delight you.

NO MORE GRAY HAIR

"Swissco" Hair and Scalp Remedy brings your hair back to its natural color, gloss and vigor. It is not a dye, but a true hair food that destroys the cause of the trouble, restores the natural color and health and vigor renewed. Try a bottle today. It will delight you.

BRITTLE HAIR THAT SPLITS

Is caused by the hair being too dry and harsh because of lack of oil. Rubbing and such conditions does more harm than good. The application of "Swissco" speedily overcomes this difficulty, makes the hair take on new life and grow, and return to its natural color and glossiness. Your health is yours for the asking.

FOOD FOR HAIR

Is as necessary as for the body. Hair, lacking proper nourishment, gets dry, brittle and dull in appearance. Life and gloss disappear when the food elements required are lacking, and the scalp is not able to supply the same. "Swissco" invigorates and supplies what nature deems lacking. Good hair is an index to good health.

HEALTHY HAIR IS MOIST. IS YOURS?

If the natural oil is lacking your hair will become dry, harsh, brittle and split. "Swissco" gets at the trouble by assisting nature to put in a healthy condition.

For sale and recommended in Oakland at any of the Owl Drug Co. stores. Thirteenth and Broadway, Washington and Tenth, Sixteenth and San Pablo.

The parts that come into play in supplying the oil and properly distributing the same. Try it. It makes a fine dressing and restores hair to its natural color. Try it once, you'll use it all the time.

THE BEAUTY OF HAIR

Depends upon what care you give it and how well it is fed. Didn't you know hair



"Swissco" Has Done It For Thousands of Others. It Will Do As Much For You. Try It Today.

gives it health and restores its natural color. A woman's crowning glory is her hair.

WHY COMB OUT HAIRS?

When you can keep them. When the scalp is put in a healthy condition, the roots nourished and scalp cleaned by using "Swissco," the hair will stop coming out, grow in thicker and be restored to its natural color. The drugist knows its merits—ask him—then try it. Nothing is as good as the best.

BALDHEADS REJOICE

When they try "Swissco." Many who have been bald for years now have a perfect crop of hair grown by the proper use of "Swissco," which is the best specific known for all diseases of the scalp. The hair quickly regains its natural color too. Good hair is proof of a strong constitution.

SEND COUPON TODAY

We could give you thousands and thousands of testimonials but we don't ask you to take our word or any one else's. If you have tried "Swissco" you already realize what it does and can do for you. If you have not tried it, get a bottle today. Take it home and use it, and you will say it is the most astonishing preparation you ever used or read about. If you have already had a bottle of "Swissco" and tried it, tell your friends about it. "Swissco" is for sale at all drugists at 50 cents and \$1.00 per bottle.

FREE BOTTLE COUPON

Good for one 25c bottle only at any of The Owl Drug Co. Stores, 13th and Broadway, Washington and Tenth, Sixteenth and San Pablo, where name and address is properly filled in on dotted lines below. Those outside of Oakland will get a free bottle by sending ten cents in stamps or silver direct to Swissco Hair Remedy Co., 1633 P. O. Square, Cincinnati, Ohio to ship cover expense of packing, etc. I have never tried Swissco Hair and Scalp Remedy but if you will supply a 25c bottle free, as above, I will use it.

Give full address, write plainly.

Victor Metcalf Is Building Splendid Spanish Residence on Vernon Heights



Plans of Residence to Be Built for Victor H. Metcalf on Vernon Heights.

To the many fine residences which now crown Vernon Heights, one of the most beautiful and commanding of local home sites, is soon to be added a stately home for Victor H. Metcalf, president of the Union Savings Bank of this city. The building is now in course of construction at the southwest corner of Perkins and Adams streets and will be completed in about four months. It will cost, at present calculations, \$18,000 and will add another charm to the Heights, which for a number of years has been the residence place of Senator George C. Perkins and other distinguished people.

The structure will be of the Spanish Renaissance style and will be supplied with all the accommodations which are considered necessary in a modern home built on a liberal scale and, while there will be an absence of elaboration in the exterior and the furnishing and decoration of the interior, nothing essential to comfort will be overlooked and good taste will be displayed throughout.

Design By Mathews

Mr. Metcalf has had Walter W. Mathews, the architect of this city, who has built so many of the most modern of the elegant homes of this city, to design for him an abiding place in which he will be enabled to pass his resting hours in serene contentment while, at

the same time, having a commanding view of the picturesque features of the surrounding territory and he is satisfied that his purpose has been attained.

It is significant of the devotion on the part of Mr. Metcalf to Oakland and its people that, after having filled with honor and credit to himself, the office of congressman from this district and, more recently, the arduous position of secretary of the navy, especially when that arm of the government was making the greatest cruise ever made by vessels of war in the history of the world, in retiring to private life, he should return to the place and people who have shown their confidence in his ability and integrity by electing him to represent them in the halls of congress.

Two-Story Structure

The home will have a frontage of 48 feet and a depth of 58 feet. It will be located on a lot having the dimensions of 100 by 120 feet. There will, therefore, be ample space for the creation of flower gardens and lawns which will delight the senses and enhance the beauty of which nature has already endowed the spot. The structure will be two stories in height with a high basement which will be designed for performance of the heavier work of the household. The main entrance will lead into a hall of 18 by 21 feet finished in Douglas fir. On the left will be the living-room which

will be finished in Philippine mahogany and have dimensions of 20 by 28 feet. The dining room will be decorated in the same manner and be 14 by 21 1/2 feet in size. The smoking room will be finished in curly redwood and the dimensions will be 11 by 18 1/2 feet. The last room on this floor, the first floor, will be the reception room and this will be finished in redwood.

Rooms in Redwood

The general finishing of the apartments on the upper floor will be redwood, there being two bedrooms, two guest rooms, two servants' rooms, a sewing room and three bathrooms.

On this floor there will also be a sleeping porch which will invite to slumber at certain seasons of the year when restful repose may be enhanced by a couch in the open.

In the basement, there will be located the laundry, the heating room, the male servant's room, the fuel and the store-rooms. This part of the house will be finished in the clear, the first story being finished in the second story ten and one-half feet.

The exterior finish of the building will be of cement and the roof will be of red tile. The contracts for the general construction of the home have been let to William Davis of this city and the work will not be allowed to lag until the job has been pronounced complete.

CIVIL WAR HEROES AT ANNUAL FEAST

Twenty-Fifth Anniversary of Women's Relief Corps of Appomattox Celebrated

The twenty-fifth anniversary of the Women's Relief Corps of Appomattox Post, No. 50, was celebrated last night in Lincoln Hall, 407 Thirteenth street, by an elaborate banquet, and was attended by five hundred members and guests of the Post and Corps.

The program for the early part of the evening consisted of various musical and vocal solos by Miss Helen Thomas, Misses Gamble, Mrs. C. W. Collins, and E. E. Perrot.

Judge E. M. Gibson then spoke as follows:

"Friends and comrades—A thought not a member of your Post, I consider that great honor has been conferred upon me, by your request for my presence here this evening in order that I may assist in the great and noble undertaking of more thoroughly developing the spirit of reverence toward these old veterans, now reverently passing away. I wish to congratulate those who have assisted in the work of advancing the Women's Relief Corps.

"Think of the great work these frail women have accomplished; think of the many successful enterprises they have completed; think what would become of us if we were deprived of them, and lastly remember that it is they and their loved ones upon whom our country is endeavoring to place a yoke that will quest their inviolable motives and cleanse them forever. Believing that this will tend to abolish lot.

Favors Woman Suffrage

"I believe in a fuller recognition of the rights of women, and I propose that all women be given equal voice in all questions of the day.

"The time is not far distant when we can anticipate a wider influence than what has already been exercised for broadening the universe for we are approaching a higher form of civilization. As we near this climax, we will gradually drop our material views of the present age, an dwell perceive that by subtle results of a high developed mind we can overcome all obstacles that may lie in our path and thus abolish the complications of present day disputes.

"Comrades, you may not see this grand revelation that will alter the grandest of the last roll call; but those who are participants in the new method will always look back and say of you: 'They fought for their country; they lived for their country; they died for their country; integrity was their password.'

After a short history of the Relief Corps by Mrs. Allen, president, and a general history of the American flag, by Mrs. G. E. Stevens, the banquet was opened. The concluding remarks after the banquet were given by W. R. Thomas, Post Commander, who gave a brief outline of the organization of Appomattox Post and stated that the following list of officers had been elected for the year ending June 30: W. R. Thomas, post commander; J. A. Taylor, senior vice-commander; J. M. Taylor, junior vice-commander; H. H. Woodruff, quartermaster; S. M. Carr, chaplain; B. D. Campbell, adjutant.

COMMITTS SUICIDE BY CARBOLIC ACID ROUTE

SAN FRANCISCO, June 9.—William Galtier, a midman living at 24 Alameda street, ended his life early last evening by swallowing the contents of a bottle of carbolic acid. No cause can be found for the suicide's act. He was 20 years old and lived with his mother.

Dr. Lyon's PERFECT Tooth Powder
Cleanses, beautifies and preserves the teeth and purifies the breath
Used by people of refinement for almost Half a Century

WILLS \$8,000,000 TO WOMAN FRIEND

Strange Romance Revealed By Death of Famous Paris Merchant

PARIS, June 9.—The crowning surprise of the eccentric will left by H. A. Chauchard, owner of the famous Louvre store, came out yesterday. It was learned that the famous merchant, who had never married, who even at death's door ignored his own kin and whose one interest seemed to be in gathering treasures of art, had cherished for years, unknown to the world, a romantic friendship for a woman.

Madame Bouvia, "an old and excellent friend, who for many years has shown the testator the most devoted care," is to receive from M. Chauchard's estate the astonishing sum of 40,000,000 francs—\$5,000,000. Possibly it is the greatest fortune ever left to a woman under such circumstances.

FORMER CASHIER OF BANK ON TRIAL

Commissioner and Clerk Call Ewing of Board Testify Against W. B. Nash

SAN FRANCISCO, June 9.—After securing a trial jury in record-breaking time for a case of such widespread interest, the actual taking of evidence was begun in the trial of W. B. Nash, former cashier of the wrecked Market Street Bank, in Judge Dunne's court, this morning.

The defendant is charged with having made a false report to the bank commissioners, and officials of that body were the principal witnesses against him today.

J. Cal Ewing, clerk of the board, and Commissioner Silver identified papers and contributed technical testimony during the hearing. Attorney Louis Ferrar began the session with the opening statement of the prosecution. The defense was represented by Attorneys Carroll Cook and Campbell, Metson and Drew.

GRADUATES TO SECURE DIPLOMAS

Prof. Henry Morse Stephens to Address Students of Commercial High

The graduating exercises of the Manual Training and Commercial High School will be held in the Common Assembly Hall, Eleventh street, at 8 P. M. Friday evening. The following is the program: Invocation—Rev. Griffith Griffiths. Music—Benedictina, by Paul Loomis. Girls' Glee Club. Introduction—P. M. Fisher, Principal. On Behalf of the Four-Year Manual Training Class—John H. Peaslee, Pres. Music—Instrumental Trio, violin, W. D. Coffey; cello, R. Druhe; piano, Miss M. Coffey. On Behalf of the Commercial Class—Keith Chalmers, Pres. Music—Crimson Glow, Girls' Glee Club. Special Address—Diplomas, violin, W. D. Hennaford, President of the Board of Education.

The graduates are as follows:
Two-year Commercial Course—Jean Bertie, Vivian E. Bertin, Bertha Blodgett, Lena Braunstein, Georgiana F. Cole, Keith Chalmers, Pauline Coffey, Arthur Coulter, Mae Elizabeth Deming, Donald Dwyer, Meta Erickson, Rhoda Clarrissa, Lottie Gilbert, Ina Evelyn Hussey, Maholite E. Jewell.
Four-year Manual Training Course—Leslie Allison, Clinton May Bryan, Earl Burt, Charles M. Higney, Philip Malancon, Herbert Florian, Chulji Koshi.

FAMOUS SOCIALIST DROWNS IN LAKE

CHICAGO, June 9.—The body of Chas. Ettinger, a Socialist, said to have been an associate of the late President Harper of the University of Chicago, was recovered from the lake here. Ettinger disappeared two weeks ago. Whether death was accidental or suicidal has not been determined.

FATHER McSWEENEY IS RAPIDLY RECOVERING

Rev. Thomas McSweeney, pastor of St. Francis de Sales Church, is recovering from his recent illness and is now able to be up a few hours each day. He is attended by Dr. D. D. Crowley.

CLARK'S CRUISES OF THE "CLEVELAND"

(Hamburg-American Line)
18,000 tons, brand new, superbly fitted. ROUND THE WORLD
From New York October 18, 1909; from San Francisco February 1910; next four months, costing only \$650 AND UP, including all expenses abroad and ashore. SPECIAL FEATURES—Madeira, Egypt, India, Ceylon, Burma, Java, Borneo, Philippines, Japan. An unusual chance to see the world in a few months. 12th Annual Cruise, Feb. 5, 1910; by North German Lloyd S. S. "Grosser Kurfurst," 23 days, including 25 days Europe and Palestine. \$400 up. G. N. KÖPPEL, 40 Ellis St., San Francisco, Cal.; FRANK C. CLARK, Times Bldg., N. Y.

AUTO HITS CAR; WOMAN IS HURT

Mrs. A. Innes Hurler to Pavement From Dr. Boelsen's Machine

ALAMEDA, June 9.—Driving his big touring car recklessly around the corner at Willow street and San Jose avenue, Dr. Sophus Boelsen, 1194 Twenty-third avenue, East Oakland, crashed into a traction car yesterday afternoon at 5 o'clock and killed the driver, William Davis, who was on his way to the pavement, miraculously escaping with her life. Mrs. Innes was bruised about her body.

her face was scratched and her right hand was badly sprained. While Mrs. Innes was seriously injured, she had a narrow escape from death. Dr. Boelsen and Mrs. Innes had been to the Alameda Sanatorium to visit a patient there and were returning to East Oakland when the accident occurred. The machine was being driven through Willow street and at the turn into San Jose avenue the crash came. Without slackening speed the big car rounded the turn just as the street car reached the crossing. Dr. Boelsen was unable to stop the auto, which tore into the car, demolishing the steps of the latter and hurling Mrs. Innes to the pavement.

Mrs. Innes was removed to her home, where she is resting easily today, though suffering from shock.

A VITAL POINT

The most delicate part of a baby is its bowels. Every ailment that it suffers with attacks the bowels also endangering in most cases the life of the infant. McGee's Baby Elixir cures diarrhoea, dysentery and all derangement of the stomach or bowels. Sold by all druggists. Drug Store, corner Tenth and Washington.

Special Notice To Fat People

"I am giving you here the only prescription known that will not only reduce your fat to normal, but will build up your muscular strength and health. There is nothing 'just as good' as Rengo. For sale by all druggists at \$1 per full sized box, or by mail from Detroit, Mich. The company will gladly send you a trial package free by mail if you write them direct to Detroit; no free packages at drug stores. Rengo is for sale and recommended in Oakland by The Owl Drug Co., 13th and Broadway, Washington and Tenth, Sixteenth and San Pablo.

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12th & Washington & Clay - OAKLAND

Axminster & Velvet Carpet Bargains

We sew, lay and line all our carpets free—our prices mean—put down on your floor.

Wool Velvet Carpets, the regular \$1.35 grade, three splendid patterns, in Orientals and two-tones; a snap for bedroom carpets or rooming houses, as they are small patterns and cut without waste. Special this week, made, lined and laid, per yard **85c**

Extra Axminster Carpets, the regular \$1.65 grade; beautiful rug patterns; these carpets will be sold only with border. Special this week, made, lined and laid, per yard **\$1.25**

With the Caloric Fireless

There is no trouble or worry because after the food has been prepared and placed in the Caloric no further attention is necessary, it never overcooks. Prunes placed in the Caloric at night can be served warm for breakfast.

They are sanitary

Strictly so. No cloth or leather cushions to absorb grease and odors. Case made of hard wood; compartments lined with luminite, insulated with Caloric patented insulation.

The price

which includes cook book and all utensils; is regulated by the manufacturer.

ONE COMPARTMENT **\$9.00**
TWO COMPARTMENT **\$14.00**
THREE COMPARTMENT **\$18.00**

TERMS TO SUIT

Special Sale for 3 days Thursday Friday Saturday

Genuine Royal Steel Graniteware

We are offering a complete line of all sizes of this high grade ware, priced all at bargains. This is not a job lot of second quality bought for a sale. We want you to come to our store and get familiar with our

Kitchenware Department

On Mezzanine Floor.

Refrigerators

We are the selling agents for the wood-lined Mc-Cray Boxes, the very best box known. We have a large assortment of other makes to select from. Priced from \$8.50 upward.

Damaged Crockery

We have just put on sale Crockery and Glassware slightly chipped and cracked; just the thing to take to the country.

Milk Pan, 1 1/2 quart	8c
Pudding Pan, two quart	10c
Roast Pan, 9 1/2 x 11	37c
Coffee Pot, 1 1/2 quart	27c
Tea Kettle, family size	46c
Tea Pot, 1 1/2 quart	27c
Preserving Kettle, good size	17c
Dish Pan, eight quart	24c
Milk Kettle, two quart	32c
Colander, family size	23c

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518 - 522 Thirteenth Street, BET. WASHINGTON AND CLAY

ORDER PAYMENT OF \$10,000 FOR SITE

Berkeley Trustees Spring Surprise in the Incinerator Property Problem

HODGEHEAD FACTION IS VERY MUCH WORRIED

Order Ordinance Passed to Print For \$3300 For Fire Department

BERKELEY, June 9.—The Board of Trustees last night ordered ordinances passed to print for the payment of \$10,000 balance on a site for an incinerator and \$3300 for an auxiliary fire department alarm.

The incinerator action came as a surprise to some of the commissioners-elect, who were present and upset the calculations of the interests opposing the purchase of the property, which consists of seven acres at the foot of Camella street and belongs to the former Postmaster George Schmidt.

About six weeks ago the board ordered a first payment of \$5000, the balance to be provided by bond issue. Auditor M. L. Hanson refused to approve the warrant on the advice of Earl H. Webb, the boss of the new administration. Webb and Mayor-elect Hodgehead professed to see in the deal a scheme to favor George Schmidt and at the same time deplete the treasury in order to embarrass the incoming administration.

Taken Into Courts

The row was taken into the Superior Court and in the first skirmish Judge Harris sustained a demurrer by the town against the stand taken by Hanson, but Webb continued to advise dilatory tactics. According to attorneys, last night's action of the board will nullify the proceedings in court as soon as the ordinance is adopted and the treasury will be depleted to the extent of \$15,000 from the standpoint of the new commission.

It is not known what action Boss Webb and Mayor-elect Hodgehead will now advise for the auditor. Should he refuse to approve the warrant for the payment of the entire purchase price there would probably be a very pretty row in the courts and some interesting recriminations among the present and incoming public officials.

Auditor Hanson would not discuss the matter this morning and Webb is "awaiting developments." Meanwhile Town Attorney Staats is preparing for a fight and believes he can compel the payment of the money and that the action of the outgoing trustees is legal and valid.

Perplexing Question

This incinerator row threatens to become as troublesome and perplexing a question to Hodgehead and the new commissioners as it has been to the present officials for the past year. The North Berkeley Improvement Club, which is an ardent supporter of Webb and Hodgehead, adopted resolutions last night calling for a settlement of the controversy and the purchase of a site and erection of an incinerator without further delay. The plan lies in the hands of the present board of trustees and Webb seems to have been injured by the zeal of his own partisans.

It will be necessary for the new government to call for a bond issue at once to erect the incinerator, if the deal for the purchase of the Schmidt site is approved by the courts and this is not a prospect at all alluring to the men who are to take hold of affairs July 1.

Still Another Move

There is a promise that at the meeting of the board next Tuesday night the freemen and policemen discharged ten months ago because of a deficit in the general fund will be reinstated. This will put the board in a very awkward position, for the reinstatement of the former freemen and policemen will further "deplete the treasury" and afford another source of worry for Mayor-elect Hodgehead.

Farnum Not With Mrs. Gould, He Says

NEW YORK, June 9.—Testimony given by Dr. Martin D. Moran of Boston, concerning a case station he had with Dr. Farnum, the actor in Boston on September 30, 1908, was filed here today in the suit of Mrs. Farnum against Dr. Gould for a divorce from Howard Gould. It was sought to show by the plaintiff's evidence that it was impossible for Farnum to have taken lunch with Mrs. Gould in the latter's apartment in the St. Regis in this city on that day, as claimed in the affidavit, because Farnum was then in Boston.

High grade 2nd hand pianos at 1/2 price. About 25 or 30 splendid Pianos have just been returned from rent service. These are all high grade instruments that have been used by teachers in concert work or by individuals. They were returned on account of summer vacations. We have decided to move on 2d hand Pianos to our new store and as a consequence are selling them at about half price. Now is your chance. We move July 1st. SHERMAN, CLAY & CO. Broadway at 13th, Oakland.

PHYSICIAN MUST SUPPORT HIS CHILDREN

Dr. Frederick L. Wright Ordered to Pay Maintenance and Alimony

REFUSED TO GIVE UP HIS ALLEGED AFFINITY

Wife Tells of Troubles and Deceit Is Granted By Court

When Dr. Frederick L. Wright, located at 1169 Broadway and residing at 1271 Jackson street, east of the face of his wife, something over a year ago, when she entreated him to cast aside his alleged affinity and continue to be a good husband to her and a kind father to his two little boys, he paved the way for the Superior Court to fasten upon him a permanent financial responsibility with reference to his abandoned family that will keep him busy discharging in the future.

By the terms of the final decree just entered in the case in favor of Lydia F. Wright, Superior Judge Harris awards to her the custody of the children and orders the doctor to pay \$45 a month for their support, education and maintenance, also \$45 a month as alimony to Mrs. Wright.

According to Mrs. Wright, who is now residing with her children at 1120 East Sixteenth street, the doctor left her in April, 1907, after a series of bitter quarrels over his alleged infidelity with another woman, whose identity was not made of record during the hearing of the case and whose name does not appear in any of the several papers on file.

Refused to Return

At the time of the separation the couple were living at 3772 Piedmont avenue, and when Mrs. Wright gave her testimony before the Court Commissioner, her husband permitting the case to go by default, she said that the doctor was enjoying a lucrative practice that brought him a monthly income of about \$500. She also stated that after the separation she had had several talks with her husband about their marital differences, during which he always said that his love for her was dead and that it would be useless for him to return to his family because he could never be happy with his wife again. He loved the alleged affinity who had broken up their home. It is said, with a deploring passion that could not be extinguished.

Another Woman

Mrs. Theresa Fick of 1908 Grove street was a witness in behalf of Mrs. Wright, at the hearing of the case. "Do you know why Dr. Wright left his wife?" she was asked. "Yes, on account of another woman," was her reply. "What do you mean by that?" "What do you mean by that?" Wright requested him not to go with the other woman, but he refused to give the other woman up. He has been going to the woman for several years. He was frequently out with her when he had an engagement with his wife for dinner somewhere, and would be seen on the streets driving with this other woman.

City to Carry No Fire Insurance

On and after April next the city will carry no insurance on its buildings and property. This was the decision arrived at by the Board of Public Works this morning.

This new policy will be in line with the policy adopted by all large corporations, which carry their own insurance. Commissioners Turner and Stewart were of the opinion that the city should carry its own insurance. In event of a fire the loss would fall equally on all property owners. The premiums paid to the insurance company by the commissioners maintained, could be better spent in permanent improvement.

ENTERTAINS GRAND ARMY MEN AND RELIEF CORPS

BERKELEY, June 9.—The members of Lookout Mountain Post and the Women's Relief Corps went to Fruitvale this morning to enjoy a picnic on the grounds of A. C. Cowie, a former Grand Army man of Berkeley. The party took special street cars.

FOR THREE MONTHS SHE RUNS SCHOOL WITH NO PUPILS

SANTA BARBARA, June 9.—Because she vigorously spanked an obstreperous pupil, all of the fourteen members of the school taught by Miss Cavita Lane at the Santa Rosa Ranch, across the mountains, seven miles from this city, went on a strike and for three months Miss Lane has been daily holding school without scholars. Every day Miss Lane appears at the door of the schoolroom, rings the bell and then seats herself at her desk. No pupils put in their appearance and she whistles away the day sewing and reading, and at 4 o'clock locks up and goes home. Miss Lane's school was made up of the children of several Swiss families and was an administrative school, spanning to one of them, the parents joined together in a common cause and boycotted the school. Miss Lane does not want her salary to stop, so the daily sessions continue regardless of the dearth of pupils.

FAMOUS RANCH BRINGS HIGH FIGURE

Old Henry Pierce Place Sold to A. C. Kuhn of San Jose

BEAUTIFUL HOME TO BE ERECTED ON SITE

Property Changes Hands Through the Agency of J. H. Rucker

SAN FRANCISCO, June 9.—The old Yerba Buena ranch, for thirty-five years the joint property of the Henry Pierce of Oakland and William Pierce of the H. & W. Pierce Company of this city, was sold on last Friday to A. C. Kuhn, president of the Vendome Hotel Company in San Jose, and one of the largest real estate holders in that city. Though the parties to the transaction refused to make known the price paid, it is hinted the checks drawn in payment by Kuhn were made out in six figures.

J. H. Rucker, the local real estate agent, closed the deal for Kuhn with William Pierce, Johnson of the Wamette Pulp and Paper Company, acting for the heirs of the late owners of the Contra Costa Water Company, before that firm was brought in by the present People's Water Company.

A Beautiful Spot

Throughout the Santa Clara county the "Old Henry Pierce Place," as the Yerba Buena ranch was commonly called, had no equal in beauty. Lying nine miles east of the town of San Jose on the road to Alameda, the property stretched into the foothills back of the village of Beresford. Level and rolling, fertile and green, the land provided an excellent spot for both farming and stock raising, to which it had been devoted for many years. Covering twenty-five hundred acres of ground, the heirs into whose hands the property fell on the death of the original owners, founded a beautiful spot on which to build a magnificent home. The house was called the "Pierce Mansion" and was only excelled in the beauty of its architectural lines by the new Vendome Hotel.

Will Build Home

Having oftentimes visited the "Pierce Place" and infatuated with the grandness of the immense holdings, Kuhn decided to purchase it and build a home for himself. The negotiations for the purchase of the property were placed in Rucker's hands and in a short time, only that necessary to trace titles and arrange the deed, the ranch was transferred from Johnson to Kuhn.

With the swift and sure character of his purchase, Kuhn has ordered Architect H. W. Weekes to visit his new holding and remodel the homestead now adorning it. Besides the building, the grounds will be beautified and no expense will be spared in fitting up the place so that it will be the prettiest homestead on the Pacific coast.

Kuhn, who is a single man, will, so it is said, establish himself in bachelor quarters on the ranch.

HESS ON TRIAL FOR PASSING BOGUS CHECK

Edward Hess was placed on trial this morning in the criminal department of the Superior Court for passing a check under false pretenses by passing a check on a local bank with which he carried no deposit.

The check was for \$25 and was received by E. Hennings, saloon keeper at Twenty-second street and San Pablo avenue, in part payment of a debt. Hess receiving the difference in cash.

The prisoner has two prior convictions against him. He has served a prison term at both San Quentin and Folsom for forgery.

TO TRY NEW CHEMICAL FOR LAYING THE DUST

Superintendent of Streets Howe this morning was authorized by the Board of Public Works to experiment with a new chemical for the laying of dust on the streets. The chemical is put in the regular watering cars and after being deposited on the streets forms a crust which does not readily break up. At night time, when the dew falls, it is absorbed by the chemical, keeping the streets damp, thus doing away with the necessity of so much water.

The street department, through Superintendent Howe, requested that the city council appropriate \$10,000 for laying the streets during the next fiscal year.

MACHINISTS NAME DELEGATES. The International Association of Machinists, Lodge No. 284, last night nominated three delegates for the International convention held September 13, in Denver, Colorado. The convention is a biennial meeting and is composed of representatives from most of the machinists' lodges in the country. The nominees are M. E. McGilli, A. Campbell and A. Cairnes.

HEAD OF BLIND INSTITUTE TO RETIRE

Warring Wilkinson, For 44 Years Principal of School Wants a Rest

FAMOUS TEACHER IS READY TO GIVE UP DUTIES

William A. Caldwell Is Mentioned as Probable Candidate For Office

BERKELEY, June 9.—After forty-four years' continuous service and a tenure of office rarely surpassed in public life, Warring Wilkinson, superintendent of the Institute for the Deaf and Blind, is to retire. He has been preparing for the step for some weeks and the commencement exercises he presided over yesterday will probably be the last directed by the venerable teacher. With the assistance of his son-in-law, Professor L. J. Richardson, of the department of Latin in the State University, Wilkinson has been arranging details and will probably forward his official resignation to the board of directors of the school within a few days.

Famous Teacher

Warring Wilkinson is probably the most famous teacher and worker in deaf, dumb and blind work in America. Coming to Berkeley in 1865 from the New York Deaf and Dumb Institute he has seen the school at the head of Dwight grow from a small concern into one of the most important of its kind in the country. His long career has built up a reputation for kindness, honesty and fair dealing with the unfortunates under him until he is loved and endeared in the hearts of hundreds.

Under his care many famous blind and deaf people have graduated and have since made their mark in the world. Douglas Tilden, the sculptor, is one of the graduates Wilkinson recognized early and assisted in developing.

He has enlarged and improved the sign alphabet of the dumb and blind until his ideas have been adopted abroad as well as in eastern American schools. But one other man in the work has devoted more years to it than Mr. Wilkinson. M. Gaudelot of the Gaudelot Deaf and Dumb Institute in Washington, D. C. His conduct of the institution has never been under fire and all political parties in San Francisco in the days of 1855, when Mayor Smith was but a promise, and two story buildings points of interest. She speaks both German and English fluently.

Tired; Needs Rest

"I have served this institution since 1865," said he last night, "and have labored hard and diligently. I am tired, and I need a rest. There are certain formalities that must be gone through before I can be allowed to leave, but I expect that soon I can have things so arranged that I can retire."

There has been no talk as yet of his successor. The board of directors of the institute is headed by Attorney George W. Reed of the law firm of Reed, Hartwell, the Oakland banker; Frank M. Wilson, vice-president of the First National Bank; J. W. Richards, vice-president of the Berkeley National Bank and W. J. Greer of Berkeley. William A. Caldwell, first assistant, has been mentioned as a probable candidate for promotion.

Sues to Get His Presents All Back

SAN FRANCISCO, June 9.—Suing for the return of \$500 worth of jewelry, gold, silver and pearl baubles, which he has given to one "J. H. Stocklin," of Los Angeles, one "J. H. Stocklin" is revealed by the Los Angeles sheriff's return to be George Howe, 184 Investors Bank building, and the defendant to be Julia H. Stocklin.

The gorgeous presents which Howe is said to have lavished upon Julia Stocklin, include a gold watch, two necklaces with gold chain, gold rings with diamond solitaires of one and one-half and three-quarter karats each, gold diamond solitaire in Tiffany setting, a twenty-piece toilet set marked "J. H. S.," pearl opera glasses, similarly engraved, a lady's gold watch and chain, a silver vanity box, gold bracelet, locket and chain.

INJURED BY AUTO.

William J. Jessup, superintendent of the Ransome-Crummey Construction Company, met with a possible fracture of the left forearm this morning, while cranking his automobile. His injury was dressed at the Receiving Hospital. It could not be ascertained positively at the hospital whether there was a fracture or simply a bad sprain of the arm, but to make sure, it was put in splints.

NEW ALARM BOXES.

City Electrician Babcock reported to the Board of Public Works this morning that during the last year there had been 431 electrical calls in the city through the alarm boxes. He also reported that 42 additional fire alarm boxes had been set up, 30 police boxes and 15 miles of old iron wire were changed to copper.

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Four Generations Will Attend Celebration of 100th Birthday



MRS. MARY KELLER, Who Will Celebrate Her Hundredth Birthday On June 22.

ALAMEDA, June 9.—This city's oldest resident, Mrs. Mary Keller, will celebrate her one hundredth birthday at the home of her daughter, Mrs. D. L. Hicks, 779 Santa Clara avenue, Thursday, June 22, when she will be surrounded by four generations of her family.

Mrs. Keller was born in Germany in 1809. She came to America in 1836 and married in New York a few years later. When the gold fever was at its height Mrs. Keller came to this state, settling in San Francisco in the days of 1855, when Market street was but a promise, and two story buildings points of interest. She speaks both German and English fluently. She is the mother of two children, Mrs. Hicks, with whom she makes her home, and Henry Hicks, a son who was drowned thirty-five years ago when the steamer Pacific sank outside of Portland with all on board.

Among her grand children who will be present at the celebration are: Mrs. Florence Milroy, George V. Hicks and Walter Hicks, and her great-grandchildren Walter J. Hicks, Miss Genevieve Hicks and Miss Josephine Milroy. When Mrs. Keller was 61 years old she was stricken with rheumatism and since then has been unable to walk without the assistance of crutches, but has devoted her time to knitting. In spite of her great age and the handicap of rheumatism, Mrs. Keller still works at her knitting and her mind is active and vigorous.

ENDORSE NILES CANYON ROADS

Merchants' Exchange to Ask Supervisors to Make Needed Appropriation

At last night's meeting of the Merchants' Exchange, the Y. M. C. A. building management came in for a general criticism, it being alleged by Directors Gard and Downey that plans for the new \$200,000 structure, the money for which was raised in Oakland by subscription and donation, had been placed in the hands of San Francisco contractors for bids and that not a single Oakland contractor has had a chance to figure on the same. No names were mentioned, but it was clearly evident in the minds of those directors who spoke about the matter that there was a certain injustice being done Oakland.

Secretary Starrett of the Y. M. C. A. was not named in the matter, the plans for the building having been drawn by Galloway & Howard, Berkeley architects, three years ago, and the plans placed in the hands of contractors across the bay for preliminary figures.

Gard Indignant

Director Gard stated that while the bids being considered in San Francisco were but the preliminary figures, Oakland had nearly been ridiculed. In his opinion, for the reason that she had been invited to figure in the plans at all. And notwithstanding the fact that Oakland business men and Oakland citizens had dug down in their own pockets for the wherewithal to make the building a possibility. It was entirely wrong and a reflection on Oakland.

Director Downey agreed with Gard, stating he couldn't understand why "they should get out of Oakland to get a thing they called 'bids'."

After much discussion in which the general opinion seemed to coincide with that of Gard and Downey, it was unanimously resolved that Secretary Wilber Walker be instructed to get facts and figures and report at the next meeting of the Exchange.

Views Niles Road

Chairman Harrington of the Niles canyon road committee reported that together with committees from the Chamber of Commerce and a committee from Niles he had traveled over the present road through the canyon. He explained that the proposed road was not in the nature of a boulevard, but a road more for the use of those engaged in agricultural pursuits. The residents of the canyon, about 7000, wanted to build the road themselves, and desired an appropriation from the county for the expense of installing permanent bridges. The road, he stated, would mean a great deal to Oakland, as at the present time, owing to the impassable conditions along the thoroughfare, traffic was directed to San Jose instead of to this place. The appropriation was to be used in the construction of two new bridges and the repairing of one old bridge. He was in favor of endorsing the appropriation of sixty-five per cent of the cost of the bridges as he thought Oakland would derive possibly seventy-five per cent of the benefits. The Spring Valley Water company and the Western Pacific had already signified its willingness to provide the necessary right of way. A resolution was passed endorsing the appropriation by the board of supervisors of money with which to build bridges, provided right of way through the canyon are acquired.

REGENTS AWARD BOALT HALL CONTRACTS

Total Sum Involved Is \$103,770 and Work Will Soon Begin

BIDS ACCEPTED FOR NEW SATHER GATE STATUES

Maintenance of Experimental Station at Tulare To Be Discontinued

SAN FRANCISCO, June 9.—Contracts involving the expenditure of more than \$131,000 were awarded by the board of regents of the University of California at their meeting held yesterday in the San Francisco Institute of art. Various other matters of importance to the university were also taken up and disposed of.

Contracts for work costing \$103,770 in the construction of Boalt hall were awarded.

The California artistic metal and wire company was awarded the contract for the construction of the three bronze arches which will form the gateway to the university campus. When completed the entrance will be known as the Sather gate, a fund of \$40,000 having been donated by Mrs. Jane K. Sather, \$11,000 of which will be expended on the bronze work.

Brooks Brothers of Sacramento were awarded the contract for the construction of a dining room at the university farm near Davis at a cost of \$12,000. The work of constructing a tunnel through which pipes may be laid from the central heating plant to Boalt hall was awarded to J. R. Seifridget & Co., their bid of \$5098.15 being the lowest submitted. The regents decided to discontinue the maintenance of the experimental station at Tulare, because of the acquisition of the Kearney ranch. Several resignations and appointments were ratified.

GIRL TENNIS EXPERT —WEDS IN OLD MEXICO

LOS ANGELES, June 9.—As a surprise to many of her friends comes the announcement of the marriage of Miss Elvira Peralta, formerly a resident of San Leandro, daughter of Mrs. M. C. B. Meister of Santa Monica, and John Hickman.

The ceremony was celebrated in Torrance, State of Sonora, Mexico, where Miss Peralta had been the guest of Mrs. Maria Seymour and Miss Merline Seymour. According to the custom in Mexico there were two services, a church and a civil service.

The first took place in the Catholic church, May 5, and was followed two days later by the civil ceremony at the American consulate. The bride was given away by Mrs. Mary Seymour. Mrs. Hickman belongs to the well-known Peralta family of Northern California; the noted Castellanos, who have been large landholders for several generations. She has been identified with the leading tennis players of Southern California and is one of the most graceful and the strongest of the local players, having competed many times victoriously with the famous Suttons. She was formerly a resident of San Leandro. Mrs. Hickman is a granddaughter of Mrs. E. J. Hayes of Alhambra.

She is pretty and attractive. For the past four years she has made her home with Mrs. Seymour and her daughter. It was at the latter's home the young couple met. Mr. Hickman is a civil engineer and has worked at the Colorado State of Sonora, Mexico.

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WORKING FOR SUCCESS
OF WHIST TOURNAMENT

The whist tournament to be given tomorrow evening at Mrs. Gela A. White's, 1112 Broadway, will be a large success. In his church, Rev. A. F. Purdies, pastor of the Japanese booth of St. Augustine's provided a special check room for the church fair. Mrs. E. A. Harnett, Miss woman of the Baptist Missionary Union, Elleen Robinson and others in charge of the booth, which convened yesterday in the Japanese booth have spared no effort of the church, in which to leave their broad efforts in making arrangements for the brimmed hats. Those unfamiliar with whist and refreshments served.

PASTOR HAS CHECK ROOM
FOR WOMAN'S BIG HATS

CHICAGO, June 9.—Following out his ultimatum against women wearing hats, Rev. A. F. Purdies, pastor of the Japanese booth of St. Augustine's provided a special check room for the church fair. Mrs. E. A. Harnett, Miss woman of the Baptist Missionary Union, Elleen Robinson and others in charge of the booth, which convened yesterday in the Japanese booth have spared no effort of the church, in which to leave their broad efforts in making arrangements for the brimmed hats. Those unfamiliar with whist and refreshments served.

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SUTRO WILL CASE
IS NOW NEAR END

Supreme Court Is Expected to Knock Out Peculiar Trust Clause

SAN FRANCISCO, June 9.—It now seems almost certain that the long disputed Adolph Sutro will contest will be decided by the Supreme Court during the coming week, and it is further claimed that the trust clause is to be knocked out as it was in the famous Fair will contest, "on the ground of public policy."

Adolph Sutro drew his will in 1882, when he was very rich and right on top of his Sutro tunnel triumph. It was a peculiar will, leaving his property in a peculiar way. Six trustees were named to handle it for ten years. Then they were to turn it over to a board, and the board was to arrange a series of contests in London, New York and San Francisco out of which the first prize was to be awarded to the person offering the best scheme of disposing of all the Sutro holdings after the last Sutro child was dead.

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LIFE OF A PIMPLE

Complexions Are Cleared and Pimples Disappear Overnight Without Trouble

The dispenser of poslam, a new skin discovery, ask that notice be given that no one is urged to purchase it without first obtaining an experimental package. Every one who has tried it knows that the fifty cent box, on sale at The Owl Drug Co. and all drug stores, is sufficient to cure the worst cases of eczema, where the surface affected is not too large. The itching ceases on first application. It will also cure some, tetten, blotches, scaly scalp, hives, barben's and every other form of itch, including itching feet. Being flesh colored and containing no grease, the presence of poslam on exposed surfaces, such as the face and hands, is not perceptible. Water and soap cannot be used in connection with it, as these irritate and prolong skin troubles, sometimes even causing them. As to the experimental package of poslam, it can be had free of charge by mail of the Emergency Laboratories, 32 West Twenty-fifth street, New York. It alone is sufficient to clear the complexion overnight and to rid the face of pimples in twenty-four hours.

HENRY DIXEY, NOTED

STAGE STAR, MARRIED

NEW YORK, June 9.—Henry E. Dixey, famous as the stage hero of "Adonis," "The Man on the Box" and "Mary Jane's Pa," allowed it to be known yesterday that he has married again, and has been married for three weeks. His bride is Miss Marie Nordstrom, leading woman of the "Mary Jane's Pa" company, and Dixey brought her back to New York with him from the West last night.

DR. MILLER HEADS
BOARD OF HEALTH

Will Be Acting President Until That Body Is Re-organized

ALAMEDA, June 9.—Dr. Harold A. Miller has been appointed acting president by the Board of Health. The board has not yet organized and Dr. Miller was named president pro tem until reorganization is effected, when he will probably be officially elected to the position of president of the body.

The Board of Health will not reorganize until after the appointment of a successor to Dr. J. Emmett Clark, former president of the board. The name of Dr. C. P. Pond will be recommended to the City Council next Friday night in committee meeting and in all probability will be ratified in regular council session Tuesday night.

Trouble Makers Ousted.
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NO BLESSINGS
FOR DIVORCEES

Ministers Decide Couples in Second Marriage to Go Unblessed

SACRAMENTO, June 9.—Divorcees who are remarried will have to go without the minister's blessing hereafter in Sacramento. This was agreed upon at a meeting of the local ministers' union. Marriages of divorcees will be performed, as in the past, but God's blessing upon the couple will not be given unless the ground for the divorce was infidelity.

The spread of the divorce evil was discussed at length by the ministers. Rev. Mr. George of the Trinity Episcopal Church, archdeacon of the Northern California district, asked that no divorcees be married unless infidelity was the ground of the action. He declared that judges on the Superior bench have said all divorcees in California are fraudulent where cruelty is given as the ground for the separation. The United States leads the world in divorces, with one divorce for every twelve marriages.

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TROUBADOURS TO
TAKE IN RESORTS

Amateur Thespians Will Make Tour of All Watering Places

ALAMEDA, June 9.—A company of Alamedaans composed of Fred Carlisle, Miss Edna Maltman, Miss Marion Coyne, Henry Kaesebaum, and Johnnie Coyle are planning a unique summer outing of several months, during which time they will visit the different watering resorts in Lake county, Lake Tahoe, the Santa Cruz mountains, Del Monte and a number of other summer resorts, where they will present scenes from famous operas. Fred Carlisle is known as the coach of the plays and operas, which have been produced in this city under the auspices of the high school students. His last performance was the opera "Pinafore," given at the Adelphi Hall. The troupe of amateur thespians have been seen in amateur and professional productions in the bay cities and their histrionic ability has been recognized by large audiences.

Miss Coyle has studied abroad and her brother, Johnnie Coyle, has appeared in comedy roles on the professional stage. The amateur troubadours are anticipating a pleasant summer visit to the various summer resorts. They will produce their second act of "The Children of Normandy," a scene from the "Mikado," and Fred Carlisle will enact the death scene from "Fra Diavolo."

Carlisle's ability as a coach is evidenced by the successful plays he has directed in this city. He has traveled extensively throughout the United States and Europe and made a thorough study of the theatrical art and its interpreters. Specialties will be given by the talented Alameda boys and girls. As an advance agent will precede them to advertise their appearance. They will remain only one or two days in each watering place.

TO FIGHT TO HAVE
WATER RATE CORNERED

ELMHURST, June 9.—An array of local legal talent will line up before the board of supervisors next Monday morning to do battle against the People's Water company in an effort to secure reduced rates and the dismissal of certain alleged arbitrary restrictions. Representing the people of the affected districts will be Attorneys T. C. Tillman, T. S. Gray, L. Hufaker and R. J. Silva, and they will be armed with data with which they will seek to prove that the rates as charged by the water company are excessive.

Behind the movement for lower rates are the Highland Improvement club and the Grand Avenue and Hillside Improvement Club, and they have the co-operation of the various clubs and associations along the line of the San Leandro road.

PROMINENT VINEYARDIST
DIES OF HEART FAILURE

FRESNO, June 9.—W. H. Hodgkin, owner of the San Ricardo vineyard and member of the Bohemian Club of San Francisco, died last night at his country home of heart trouble. His son, Rev. Reginald Hodgkin, is rector of the Episcopal church of Berkeley.

GOVERNOR RE-APPOINTS
TWO ON HOSPITAL BOARD

SACRAMENTO, June 9.—Governor Gillett has reappointed to membership on the board of managers of the Napa State Hospital, Emile Phillips of Sacramento and Richard Belcher of Marysville.

C. S. MELTON IN CHARGE.
MILROSE, June 9.—In a recent issue of THE TRIBUNE it was stated erroneously that the installation of the Melrose fire alarm system was being done under the supervision of Ed. Lane. C. S. Melton, former fire commissioner of the district, is directing the work, having donated his services to the district gratis.

HOTEL ROBBERED.
SAN LEANDRO, June 9.—A bold daylight robbery was reported to Marshal M. Delaney at Milpitas. The San Leandro Hotel yesterday morning stated that his room had been entered by means of a pass key and a suit of clothes and \$35 taken. The hotel at the time of the robbery was crowded with guests.

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Judge Lawlor in His Variety.

Judge Lawlor stopped the Calhoun trial a space yesterday to deliver a panegyric on Francis J. Heney and administer a reproof to the defendant's attorneys for their failure to show proper consideration for Mr. Heney. It is amazing that Rudolph Spreckels and William J. Burns were not included in the eulogy. Then "Big Jim" Gallagher was called to testify that he did not blow up his own house, his testimony being offered as a proof that Patrick Calhoun has conspired with his attorneys and employees to defeat the ends of justice. In his playful way Heney said that John J. Barrett, one of the attorneys for the defense, had held an appointment under the crookedest mayor San Francisco ever had. Judge Lawlor considered it positively indecent on Mr. Barrett's part to resent the remark. For a time Mr. Barrett was a Fire Commissioner while Schmitz was mayor, but neither he, personally, nor the Fire Department was involved in any scandal during his term of office. Moreover, District Attorney Langdon was elected on the ticket with Schmitz, and supported Schmitz for re-election the last time he ran; and today a number of the appointees of Schmitz are holding important offices in the city government by the grace of Mayor Taylor and the graft prosecution.

Mr. Barrett was once Assistant District Attorney, but, unlike Mr. Heney, he never took money from private parties as a stimulant to his official activities, nor was he ever accused of tampering with a jury or shooting a man down in cold blood.

But comparisons are odious. Mr. Barrett's service as Fire Commissioner is not related in any way to the Calhoun case, and Mr. Heney's allusion to it, aside from the gross insult conveyed by his language, was intended to prejudice him and his client in the eyes of the jury. It is Mr. Heney's confirmed habit to lug irrelevant and derogatory statements reflecting on defendant's counsel, and then call upon the court to protect him from the retaliation and chastisement he provokes and invites. Nor is Judge Lawlor wanting on such occasions. He invariably responds with reproofs to defendant's attorneys delivered in a tone indicating that they are a parcel of scoundrels who ought to be sent to prison, but whom he is compelled to tolerate after a fashion. His deliverance yesterday went to the verge of charging the defendant at bar with having caused Heney to be shot by Haas. A more flagrant example of judicial partisanship cannot be found in the annals of American jurisprudence.

Oakland Harbor Improvements

Several weeks ago the Chamber of Commerce addressed a letter to Lieutenant Colonel Biddle, United States Army Engineer, in charge of river and harbor works on the Pacific Coast, requesting him to recommend to the War Department the dredging of Oakland harbor from the entrance up to the head of Brooklyn basin to a uniform depth of thirty feet. The request embraced three propositions. The first provided for the dredging of the channel to the depth named for its full width of eight hundred feet from ship channel in the bay to the line of East Tenth street. The second proposition provided for the dredging of Brooklyn basin from East Tenth street to the entrance to the tidal canal to the same depth; and the third, widening the channel at certain points to facilitate the turning of vessels in order to avoid towing them astern when departing from the harbor.

In a letter, which has just been received by the Chamber from Colonel Biddle and in which he requests a conference, he sets forth that the total cost of these improvements, if carried out, will amount to \$5,050,000, the first proposition being estimated to cost \$1,750,000; the second \$2,300,000 and the third \$1,000,000.

Engineer Biddle notes in his letter that the channel is now twenty-five feet in depth from the harbor entrance up to Fallon street; that most of the vessels entering San Francisco bay draw less than twenty-five feet of water, and that those controlling many of the wharves now in use have not made them available to utilize the present depth of the channel.

It will be up to the Chamber of Commerce to convince the army engineer that the expenditure is or will be needed for the benefit of commerce. This it ought to be able to do when proper consideration is given to the fact that the federal government is rushing the completion of the Panama canal, that within the next five years that waterway will be open to commerce; that the area for dockage on the western shore of the bay is limited, and that the only accommodation for the increased commerce which the canal will divert this way must be provided on this side of the bay, namely, in Oakland harbor. In the light of the great importance of these prospective conditions, the cost of the proposed improvements cuts no figure beyond the result which it will accomplish. These harbor improvements should be completed when the Panama canal is opened, and the date of that event is so near at hand that no time should be lost in carrying them out. This fact has become an urgent necessity.

Yesterday the San Francisco Bulletin printed in the form of a New York dispatch an alleged interview with John D. Spreckels eulogizing Rudolph Spreckels and the graft prosecution. The Call, which is owned by John D. Spreckels, did not print the alleged interview. Why? Because it was a fake. The bogus interview was imposed upon the Associated Press in New York by some trusty partisan of Rudolph Spreckels, probably a Burns stipendiary, and it was sent out to all the papers on the Pacific Coast yesterday morning. Before noon, however, the Associated Press discovered that the interview was a fake and sent out a bulletin to all subscribers stating that the interview was incorrect and requesting that it be killed. With this notice staring its editors in the face the Bulletin printed the false dispatch as authentic. In doing so it violated its contractual obligations with the Associated Press to impose upon its readers a story they had been officially notified was false. The proceeding is characteristic of the Bulletin, which is today the most recklessly mendacious sheet in the Pacific Coast, and is in keeping with the methods which have entirely discredited the operations of Spreckels, Burns, Heney & Co.

Carnival Comparisons.

Today and the remainder of the week San Mateo is holding a rose carnival. Coming so closely after the San Leandro cherry carnival, it affords an opportunity to compare the resources of the soil on the opposite shores of the bay. San Mateo's carnival is simply a floral display, such as could be duplicated by any of the cities and towns in Alameda county any month in the year, for their floral wealth is not in any sense inferior to that of San Mateo or any other community located on the west side peninsula.

The great value of the San Leandro cherry carnival was its demonstration of a productive horticultural industry—one in which Alameda county outranks every other county in the state, and yet the raising of cherries is only one of the many profitable industries in soil products for which Alameda county is famous and which make its people prosperous. If the people of San Leandro had so chosen, they could have devoted the carnival to a display of any one of a dozen products for which its orchards, farms and truck gardens are famous and which are a source of unflinching wealth to its people. In selecting a cherry display for its carnival, its promoters appealed to the taste as well as to the eye of the thousands of visitors which were attracted within its gates by the novel festival, for there is no handsomer or more luscious fruit among the early products of the season than the cherry. And yet from now on until the close of the year Alameda county will witness the ripening and harvesting of a succession of fruit crops of great value, any one of which would furnish material for a special carnival, while the homes of its people are embowered in such flowers as now constitute the sole dependence of San Mateo and other west side cities for a carnival display.

Reorganizing Departments.

The administration has wisely decided to reorganize the Fire and Police Departments and establish them on a broader plane than they have hitherto occupied. As at present organized, these departments are based on conditions which existed twenty years ago, when Oakland was virtually in the village state with a population of approximately no more than forty thousand, its jurisdiction extending over a small area compared with what it is now. It has today a population of 235,000 and is the trading center of a population of at least one half million. It is thus placed in the front rank of the leading cities of the United States. Regulations for village conditions are, therefore, entirely out of place as they are out of date. Oakland has far outgrown these and it must, therefore, readjust its administrative departments and adapt them to conditions as they are.

The area of municipal jurisdiction, care and responsibility is vastly greater today than it was twenty years ago. Oakland is, in fact, twenty-five years ahead of what at that time it was expected it might be. The most sanguine citizen in 1889 dared not surmise that Oakland would, in 1909, be a city with a population closely approaching the quarter million mark and, with its immediate suburbs, housing a population of at least 400,000. But such is the fact today.

It stands to reason, therefore, that the provisions made when it had a population less than one-fifth what it has today are no longer adequate. The responsibilities of its Fire and Police Departments are immensely greater today than they were then. The territory to be patrolled by the police and protected by the fire department has more than doubled and the inhabited area of the enlarged territory has become comparatively congested. Reorganization of these departments and a re-adjustment of salaries has there become imperative. What we have a right to congratulate ourselves on is the fact that, while we have practically an equal population to San Francisco to take care of on this side of the bay, it is located in a way that, in the matter of police and fire protection, it can be done on a vastly more economical basis.

Governor Gillett did exactly right in ordering Adjutant-General Lauck to remove his headquarters from the house of Superintendent Queale of the McCloud Lumber Company. General Lauck is a capable and high-minded officer, and doubtless was guiltless of any intentional impropriety; nevertheless it was indiscreet to take up his quarters in the house of Superintendent Queale. It gave an air of partisanship to his mission that should have been avoided. He was there with the troops to keep the peace and protect life and property, not to take sides in the dispute between the lumber company and its striking employees. By accepting the hospitality of the company's manager he unfortunately assumed the attitude of favoring that side. This the Governor was quick to perceive and remedy. It is no business of public officials to interfere in labor disputes further than to enforce the law and suppress violence. It is a part of their duty to maintain an attitude of strict impartiality in all such matters, for to do otherwise is to bring the arm of the law in contempt and give a color of justification to forcible resistance to constituted authority. Constituted authority has its highest claim to respect and obedience when it avoids all semblance of favoritism and partisanship.

There is no limit to the ambitions of Los Angeles boomers. The latest is a proposition to consolidate the cities of Los Angeles, Wilmington and San Pedro and to expend \$10,000,000 for the construction of municipal docks, wharves, piers and warehouses at San Pedro and Wilmington. The plan has been recommended by a commission of fifteen representative business men appointed by the city council and the latter adopted the recommendation unanimously. The municipal government of Los Angeles is evidently not at all timid about contracting another big addition to its already enormous bonded indebtedness and no public enterprise, however huge may be its proportions, seems to appall its people in the least. But they have acquired the borrowing habit so strong that in the contraction of bonded indebtedness they are fast reaching a point where it will be a question of "make or break" with them.

If there is anything you want which you cannot find in any other part of the TRIBUNE look through the classified ad. page and you will be sure to find it there.

Tariff Talk

A SOUTHERN VIEW.

Intelligent and thoughtful Democrats of the South have understood for years that "a tariff for revenue to meet the expenses of the government economically administered" and to which the Democratic party stands committed, calls for a certain degree of protection to the raw material or manufactured products upon which the tariff is levied and they would be the further object of the government would be encroaching upon the powers already exercised in part, by some of the states. But if Senators are bound to make another trial of the income tax, there is no reason why they should insist on making it delay indefinitely a settlement of the tariff fight and thus retard the revival of business—Buffalo Express.

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BELEAGUED DOCTRINE.

The time for party leaders to express themselves about a platform is when their views can bear some fruit, not long after the harvest is gathered in. The Democratic party is falling apart for lack of leadership which can dominate, lay down doctrine and whip scattered elements together again under a common standard. Leadership which discovers doctrine a year too late is of no use to anybody.—Richmond Times-Dispatch.

HOW?

Democratic talk about a reduction of the tariff becomes ridiculous when a majority of the Democratic Senators vote for duties on free raw materials and refuse to accept the Denver platform. How can Governor Johnson go on urging that his party would reduce the tariff, if in power, when Senator Bailey and his associates flatly refuse to vote on the very raw materials the Denver National Democratic platform demanded should be free?—Philadelphia Press.

QUESTION OF REVENUE.

By December we should know by experience what sort of revenue production the new law is and whether more money is necessary. The country has expressed no desire for an income tax in itself. In many quarters there is strong opposition to the proposition. But the country wants the government generously supported; and if an income tax, or an inheritance tax, or some other such tax should be necessary as an addition to the revenue derived from customs for the government's support, why, it should be levied, and Congress, presumably, will do its duty.—Washington Star.

Wonderful Feats in Musical Composition

One of the most remarkable pieces of orchestration ever written, the overture to "Otello," was scored by Rossini in only twenty-four hours.

Though at 1 o'clock in the morning not a note of the overture to "Don Giovanni" had been written, yet Mozart finished it before he sat down to breakfast at the usual hour. During the long hours consumed by this task the musician's wife kept him awake by reading fairy stories to him.

In the early days of his career Sir Arthur Sullivan scored the music for a solo dance in a comic opera at the Savoy Theatre in London so rapidly that it was actually in rehearsal within a quarter of an hour after he had set down the first note.

One of the fastest composers that ever lived was Troteur, the writer of songs. Some of this composer's feats verge on the marvelous. It is claimed, for example, that he actually wrote the music of "In Old Madrid" and had dropped it into the letter box within eight minutes of the time he had taken up his pen. This would be remarkable merely as showing his dexterity and agility, to say nothing of the labor of the composition itself.

One of Schubert's friends tells a story indicating that composer's rapidity of workmanship. He had left Schubert absorbed in Goethe's ballad, "The Erl King." On his return, in a very few minutes, he found the musician swiftly putting on paper the notes inspired by the poem; and within an hour there had been composed that great song the world has admired ever since.

Another composer who accomplished extraordinary results in rapid work was Mendelssohn, who thought nothing of dashing off an overture in the course of a day.

THE BLUEBIRD

When Nature made the bluebird she wished to prostrate both the sky and the earth, so she gave him the color of one on his back and the hue of the other on his breast, and ordained that his appearance in spring should denote that the strife and war between these two elements was at an end. He is the peace harbinger; in him the celestial and the terrestrial strike hands, and are fast friends. He means the furrow and he means the warmth; he means all the soft, waving influences of the spring on the one hand, and the retreating footsteps of winter on the other. After you have seen the bluebird you will see no more cold, no more snow, no more winter. He brings soft skies and the ruddy brown of the fields. It is sure to be a bright March morning when you first hear his note; and it is as if the milder influences above had found a voice and let a word fall upon the ear, so tender is it and so prophetic a hope tinged with a regret.—John Burroughs.

Topics, Timely and Interesting

When the new United States Senator from Illinois, William Lorimer, selects a house in the capital befitting his new dignity it will have to be a good big one if he wants to keep his family under one roof. The Senator-elect has a troop that would delight the heart of Mr. Roosevelt—eight children ranging in age from a baby just beginning to toddle to a debutante of eighteen.

Orville Wright, since his accident at Fort Myer, has not made any flights; but he is to resume the carrying out of the very difficult government contract next month. This involves a ten-mile cross-country flight across a deep valley, which is something the like of which has never been accomplished even by Wilbur Wright during all the 3000 miles he has flown abroad, although he has at times risen more than 300 feet in height tests over smooth ground. In cross-country flying, however, both Farman and Blériot so far hold the records.

Under the headline "Juvenile Artists," the "Welt Spiegel" publishes the pictures of a little curly-headed girl seated at a piano, and a boy before an easel at work on a picture. The former is Fila Osorio, the three-year-old daughter of a Spanish physician. "The little rascal is like her half-brother, a born pianist," says the writer. "She plays with wonderful skill compositions of Haydn, Mendelssohn and Mozart, without any knowledge of notes. The boy, Maurice Lavallard, is eight years her senior. He has done some remarkably fine work as a painter, which has recently been recognized at the Paris salon, where one of his interiors is now on exhibition."

In the phonograph archives of the Vienna Academy of Sciences a collection of music and speech of many races and tribes in distant lands is gradually being formed. The most recent additions have been brought from Natal, and include

selections of speech, song and music from Zulus, Nadi, Swazi, Matabele, Basa and other races. There are war songs of the Zulus in their fighting with the Basutos and the English. Every tribe and every chief has special songs. There are, besides, many love songs and dancing songs. Some of the latter have been composed by Christian natives, and plainly show the influence of modern music. The academy has sent special expeditions to remote parts of Africa and South America to gather records.

Dr. Wilfred T. Grenfell, the Labrador medical missionary, in an article written for the Century, relates that to the Eskimoes mind everything animate or inanimate possesses a soul. In the graves they invariably place every cherished possession, that their spirits might serve the departed spirit in the same capacities in the life to come. There is little room for burial beneath the scanty earth in Labrador, even if the frost would permit it. So the grave consists of upright stones, with long, flat ones laid across. These not only serve to keep the wolves from the body, but wide chinks also afford the spirits free passage in and out.

The decision of the presiding judge in the Vienna Children's Court in the "Twelve Cigarette Case" has, according to the "Wiener Tagblatt," created much comment. A sixteen-year-old servant girl took from a dresser drawer in her mistress's boudoir a box containing twelve cigarettes. Regretting the pilfering, she hastened back to the room and threw the little box on her mistress's bed, where it was found, and no complaint was made. Some weeks later, however, the girl was discharged for a trifling cause and the cigarette incident came to the knowledge of the police. The girl was arraigned, and, although she insisted that she never smoked and had no friends for whom she might have taken the cigarettes, that the act was prompted by a

sudden impulse and immediately regretted, she was convicted and sentenced to twenty-four hours' confinement in prison. Because the young girl has forfeited her standing and it will be difficult for her to gain employment much indignation is felt over the punishment.

Berrill E. Gates, secretary of the board of Indian commissioners, was describing in Washington the splendid work that his board is doing to wipe out the tuberculosis scourge which at one time threatened to make the American Indian extinct. "But the Indian," said Mr. Gates, "needs to be educated in sanitation. He is shockingly ignorant there. In fact, he is as ignorant as an old farmer used to know in Warsaw. A friend dropped in on this old farmer as he was frying a bit of bacon. 'Grand bacon, that,' said the friend, sniffing affably. 'Grand bacon! Well, I guess it is grand bacon,' said the old man, turning the slices in the pan. 'And it's nice of you murdered stuff, neither. That pig died a natural death.'"

Franz Teweke, who recently celebrated the fiftieth anniversary of his entrance on the stage, has published his memoirs, in which he says that he appeared 8718 times in the thousand in parts of which he has kept a record. In that time, in his capacity as an actor, he was "thrown from the stage" 712 times, married 2,518 times, was Kaiser Joseph 9 times, was King once, prince 46 times, duke 253 times, baron 483 times and banker 717 times. "I had more wives on the stage than all the sultans in the world combined, and as to children begot, I died on the stage only thirty-nine times and these catastrophes occurred in my young days, when I committed the misdeeds allotted to me in 'Don Carlos' and 'Kabale und Liebe.'" "Of his own experience as a king," Teweke says: "It was at Pressburg in one of Birch-Pfeffer's tragedies. In one of the scenes my queen's veil became entangled in a piece of furniture, and I advanced to assist her in coming out. When from the wings I heard the beer bar voice of the stage manager: 'Here, you! Don't you know you're blind? I dropped the lace, but that moment on the play ceased to be a tragedy.'"

POLITICAL COMMENT

Americans are indebted to Julius Sterling Morton, father of Paul Morton, for the establishment of Arbor Day. Born in a little New York village on April 22, 1832, he was graduated from Union College in 1854 and in the following year settled in Nebraska, founding and editing the Nebraska City News. Morton was elected to the Territorial Legislature in 1856, and in 1858 President Buchanan appointed him Secretary of the Territory, of which he became acting Governor a few months later. In 1866 he was the Democratic candidate for Governor but was defeated, and from that time until 1861, when he was again a candidate for Governor, he took no part in politics. In 1869 he entered the Cabinet of President Cleveland as Secretary of Agriculture, remaining in office until 1877. He died in 1902. Through Mr. Morton's efforts April 10, 1872, was observed by Nebraska as Arbor Day—the first in the country.

The Georgia division of the United Daughters of the Confederacy has just unveiled a monument in memory of Captain Henry Wirz near the site of the Andersonville military prison in Sumpter county, Ga. On November 10, 1865, Wirz was executed in Washington by order of a court-martial for his alleged cruelty and inhuman conduct in the treatment of prisoners at Andersonville.

Senator Nathan Bay Scott of West Virginia said in Washington the other day, after a visit to President Taft: "When the President asked me what we were doing I told him we were doing nothing but talking. If the oratory keeps going as it is now there is no telling when we will get away. If we could only empty the galleries and stop the newspapers from printing the oratory we'd get through with the tariff bill in a week."

"This talk makes me tired. What's the good of it all? But you'll see fellows get up, wave their arms at the galleries and talk everybody tired. What we ought to do is to take the matter up and dispose of it in executive session. That would kill off the flow of words."

Russian Calendar Reform

A new calendar for Russia marks progress in the Czar's domain. Prof. Solodoff is a prime mover in favor of radical reform in calendar making. The year, he explains, should begin at the spring equinox and the quarters should be reckoned from the equinoxes and solstices.

The first two months of every quarter should have thirty days and the third thirty-one days. Thus each quarter would have ninety-one days, making 364 days for the year. As the solar year has 365 days 5 hours 48 minutes and 49.7 seconds, one day in the year should be simply called New Year's Day without a weekday name.

This disposes of the extra day, leaving the difference of five hours and the minutes and seconds. These on four years time would, but for forty-five minutes, make an extra day, which Prof. Solodoff proposes to call the Day After New Year. The forty-five minutes would mount up to a day in 128 years and so the Day After New Year should fall but once in 128 years. There is still a difference of a few seconds, but as this does not amount to a day in 5000 or 6000 years it may be disregarded.

Under this system every first day in a quarter would be a Monday, the first day of the second month always a Wednesday and the first day of the third month always a Friday. It is also proposed to make Easter, from which all church festivals are reckoned, occur at a fixed date, which the ecclesiastical authorities are invited to name.—Chicago Tribune.

State Press

The recent rich strikes that have been made in Sierra county, and the great activity in Plumas and Butte counties that is now to be seen, is an earnest of a revival in Northern California of mining on a larger and better scale than it has ever had. Too little attention has in times past been paid to the quartz mines of California.—Oroville Register.

At the University of California they have a system of "automatic retirement" by means of which professors are let out with as little jar to their nerves as possible. This idea of automatic retirement might be put in operation in quite a number of lines without any material injury to the public service. We see no reason why our great university should have so good a thing all to itself.—Pasadena News.

One who rides about Kings county and sees the stuff growing for the consumption of man and beast, lies down to rest believing that with the world shut out and the world forgot there would be no famine here. A country that produces such things as people have to have, can wiggle its finger at localities where they have but one source of revenue to depend upon.—Hanford Sentinel.

Wiser Than Suffragettes

John Temple Graves, addressing a meeting in Carnegie Lyceum recently in the interests of Morris Brown College, an industrial school for negroes in the South, declared that the negroes and their leaders were much wiser than the American white women of today who were looking for equal franchise.

"I have advised the separation of the two races, but only in a spirit of justice, kindness and philanthropy," he said. "I have the interests of both races at heart. I believe now in the education of the negro. I will admit that I formerly did not. The development of the negro is his only salvation, whether you go to your own country or remain here, where the white population is in a 60,000,000 majority and a thousand years in advance of you. The moral qualities of the negro must be developed."

"I do not know of any race in history better and more wisely led than the negro. You and your leaders are wiser than the suffragettes. They have left the realm of persuasion for that of force and violent demand. The negroes are to be congratulated. I was pleased to note that during the industrial battle in Georgia last week not one report concerning the railroad strike contained an account of the negroes resorting to violence."—New York Sun.

JAS. MARVIN LIKES TRIBUNE EDITORIALS

San Francisco, June 8, 1909.
EDITOR, TRIBUNE:—The editorial in your Sunday's issue regarding the dubs who are trying to belittle the greatest poet the world has ever produced was written by a man so chuck full of common sense that I would dearly love to meet him.
The article referring to the letter of Governor Gillett to the Italian consul is right to the point and proves that you have some brainy people writing for your valuable publication—can I be introduced?
I also ask, will you publish my answer to the scurrilous attack on Mrs. Mary Baker Eddy. I will try to make it readable. Deignedly Yours,
JIM MARVIN.

Twenty Years Ago Today In the City of Oakland

(Sunday, June 9, 1889.)
Captain Wilson of the police force rode a lottery den on Twelfth and Webster streets.
The amended school census shows a school population of 11,586, of whom 4,468 are under 5 years of age.
The factory of the Michigan Furniture Company, which was recently destroyed by fire at Emeryville, will be replaced by a three-story structure of brick and corrugated iron, 290x175 feet.
J. H. Woodward transfers to Charles M. Hayes a one-half interest in the Laundry Farm tract of land.
Captain J. B. Lauck has resigned the position of captain of a Company, Fifth Infantry, N. G. C., and will be succeeded by Major F. R. O'Brien.

Snapshots of Humorists

Mrs. Peck (contemptuously)—"What are you, anyhow, a man or a mouse?"
Mr. Peck (bitterly)—"A man, no dear; if I were only a mouse I'd have you on the tale yelling for dear life right now, Lile."

"The Boss—I'd like to give you employment, young man, but there is no way to do."

The Applicant—That's just the sort of job I'd like, sir, if the salary were satisfactory.—Cleveland Leader.

Mabel (aged five)—Mamma, you told Mrs. Smith those spoons were handed down to us by grandma.

Mother—Yes, dear, by grandma, who is up in heaven.

Mabel—Did she forget and took 'em with her?—Boston Transcript.

"You know, Miss Blank," said the proprietor of a railroad station restaurant, "there is a great deal in having your sandwiches look attractive."

"Yes, sir, I know it," replied the girl. "I have done everything I could. I have dusted those sandwiches every morning for the last ten days!"—Harpers Weekly.

"How would you illustrate the superiority of mind over matter?"

"By personal experience," answered the student. "I set my alarm clock for 5:30 o'clock in the morning, but I do not allow it to exert any influence over my breakfast hour."—Washington Star.

Pointed Paragraphs

Everybody's business is nobody's business except the busybody's.

It's the uncertainty of women that makes men go daffy about them.

One good turn deserves another engagement on the vaudeville circuit.

Sooner or later a man who travels on his check will have a worn look.

Publicity is an alarm clock that frequently awakens a man's conscience.

Many a woman marries the wrong man because the right one neglected to ask her.

How we enjoy seeing a man get the worst of it when he tries to get the best of others!

After a girl gets to be about 30 old she gives up the idea of a career and puts in twenty-four hours a day seeking a husband.

Reflections of a Bachelor

A woman's idea of a good figure is the way her clothes fit her.

A man gets so excited hunting for a political job that he forgets it isn't patriotism.

Next to saying you are jealous, a girl would rather have you tell her she inspires you to noble things.

The particular fun a woman gets out of writing a letter is forgetting to put in the thing she wrote it for, so she can write another.



Anty Drudge Tells How to Economize on Coal.

Mrs. Thrifty—"My husband is in the coal business and it doesn't cost anything for fuel to boil the clothes."

Anty Drudge—"Your husband doesn't get his coal for nothing, does he? Besides it costs just half the wear of your clothes when you boil them, as they wear out just twice as fast. Use Fels-Naptha soap in cool or lukewarm water if you want to save time, bother and your husband's coal."

John D. Rockefeller says "it is not what we earn but what we save that makes wealth."

In washing clothes with Fels-Naptha in cool or lukewarm water, either in summer or winter, you save:—

Fuel—No necessity for hot fire or boiling water.

Clothes—Your clothes last twice as long when washed with Fels-Naptha, because they are not weakened by boiling, nor worn out by hard rubbing.

Doctor's Bills—You don't risk your health by bending over steaming suds or a hot fire and then going into the cool outer air.

Time—The Fels-Naptha way of washing takes less than half as long as the old washboiler way.

Labor—Fels-Naptha takes three-fourths the work and all the drudgery out of washday.

If these savings are worth while to you, follow directions for using Fels-Naptha printed on the red and green wrapper.

TILDEN ESTATE FIGHT ENDED

Clarence Geldert Pays \$25,000 and Charges Against Him Dropped

SAN JOSE, June 9.—It will never be known whether or not Beverly L. Tilden, friend of King Edward, financier of Sybil Sanderson, was allowed to drink himself to death at the home of his friend, Clarence Geldert, at Alum Rock Park, near this city. Yesterday the suit for \$100,000 and sensational charges that Geldert took advantage of Tilden's love for liquor and influenced him in making his will were dismissed in the Superior Court and the heirs of Tilden reached an agreement with Geldert, compensating with him for \$25,000.

Stops at San Jose

The trip came to an abrupt end in San Jose. Tilden took a fancy to the country, and purchased a beautiful home in the foothills. After a short stay here he wrote home for his stocks and bonds and secured nearly \$100,000. Soon he died. All his money was gone and the home which he had built was left to his wife, who before her marriage was Elsie Ashley, daughter of a millionaire orange grower of Porterville.

Almost a year after Tilden's death came the sensational charges against Geldert. It was stated in the suit that Geldert, who was supposed to have watched over and cared for Tilden, had allowed him to over-indulge in liquor, and while under its influence had influenced him in making his will.

A conference between the attorneys for the heirs and Geldert ended in the agreement of Geldert to pay \$25,000 and have the charges dropped.

The money turned over by Geldert will be divided between William C. Tilden, nephew, who is stage director for E. J. Southern, and a brother, Marmaduke Tilden, a wealthy New Yorker, now touring Italy.

HANBURY WANTS TO SELL ISLAND

But It's David's Brother in London and Legal Contest Is Likely

SAN FRANCISCO, June 9.—The filing in Napa of a power of attorney, given by John McKenzle Hanbury, a wealthy brewer of London, to T. E. K. Curran, an attorney, empowering the latter to sell Island No. 2 in the Sacramento river, is thought to indicate the possibility of a contest over that piece of property.

The island, valued at about \$100,000, already has been deeded by David Hanbury, a capitalist of this city and a brother of the London brewer, to his wife, who sued for a divorce some time ago, but withdrew it after the island had been given to her.

VALLEJO CITY CLERK WEDS SOCIETY GIRL

VALLEJO, June 9.—William J. Torrey, City Clerk of Vallejo, and Miss Agnes Higgins, a prominent young society girl of San Francisco, were married yesterday morning at Sacred Heart Church in San Francisco by Rev. Father Quinlan. The relatives of the bride and groom going down from here on the early boat.

Following a honeymoon trip to the southern part of the State, they will make their home in Vallejo. The marriage follows a meeting at Anderson Springs, in Lake county, last year.

X-RAY GIVEN AS CURE FOR LIARS

At Least it Ought to Prevent One Woman From Repeating Falsehood

CINCINNATI, June 9.—"Doctor, do you ever do anything for charity?" I am an out of your waist and pay me \$5." "Trouble? Won't you please examine my heart with the X-rays free of cost?" This plea was made by a poorly dressed woman to Dr. George Hermann yesterday.

"But, doctor, I do not want to take off my waist—you can make the examination without taking that off, can't you?" asked the woman.

Makes Discovery

"It would be better to take it off, but if you insist, leave it on," was the reply.

As the X-ray machine began to crackle, the physician gazed at her heart. Hoping to look a bit better he was surprised to discover two twenty-dollar gold pieces hidden in a chamois bag under the woman's garment.

"That is my heart, doctor?" "Your heart is pretty bad," he replied. "Is there any hope for me?"

No Hope For Her

"Not if you keep on this way," he declared. "The third twenty dollar gold piece came into view. 'Take that money out of your waste and pay me \$5.' The woman nearly collapsed. She took out the \$60 in gold and from another part of her garment drew out a purse containing bills. Altogether she had about \$100.

MILLER'S INDIAN WIFE IS DEAD

First Bride of Poet of Sierras Buried With Rites of Her Tribe

REDDING, June 9.—Amanda Brock, an Indian woman aged 75 years, died Monday afternoon at her home on McClellan street. She was an Indian with a white face and white hair. She was the first wife of Joaquin Miller, the poet, and while living with him she was made a captive by a band of Modoc Indians for many years, and she was held prisoner and escaped with the aid of Bill Brock, a white scout, whom she married and has since lived with.

The Indian woman was buried Tuesday afternoon in the Indian burial grounds on the McClellan. The Indians for miles around gathered, and the ceremony was conducted with the regular rites of her tribe.

PROBATION IS REVOKED: PLAGG GETS THREE YEARS

Having revoked his probation, Superior Judge Brown yesterday sentenced Fred Plagg to three years in the penitentiary at Folsom.

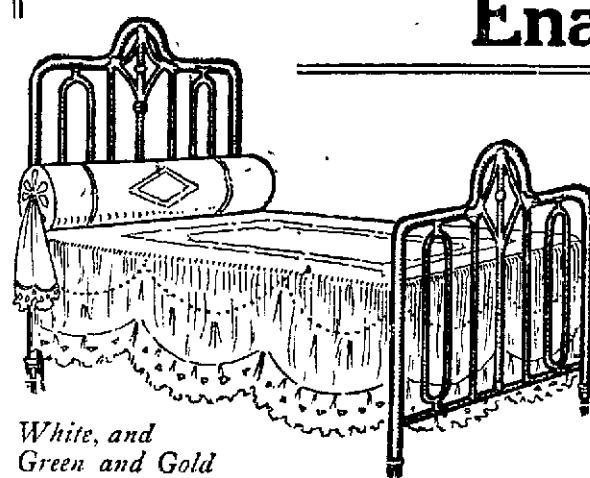
Within a month after his release on probation, at the intercession of persons whom he had injured by his crookedness, Plagg repaid the debt he owed them by swindling them again.

On January 20, Plagg forged the name of Mrs. Emma Rubenstein to a check for \$150. He entered a plea of guilty to the charge preferred against him and at the request of Mrs. Rubenstein, Judge Brown released him on probation.

Shortly afterward he forged the name of Miss Alvina Rubenstein, a daughter of Mrs. Rubenstein, to an order giving him access to a safe deposit vault, from which he stole seven diamond rings belonging to the Rubensteins, and sold them for \$150.

In revoking Plagg's probation and sending him to State prison, Judge Brown said that the culprit appeared to be reformed and able to appreciate right and wrong, but that with him the trouble seemed to be the idea that he could do wrong and then wriggle out of its consequences and thus defeat the law.

A Great Sale of Enameled Beds

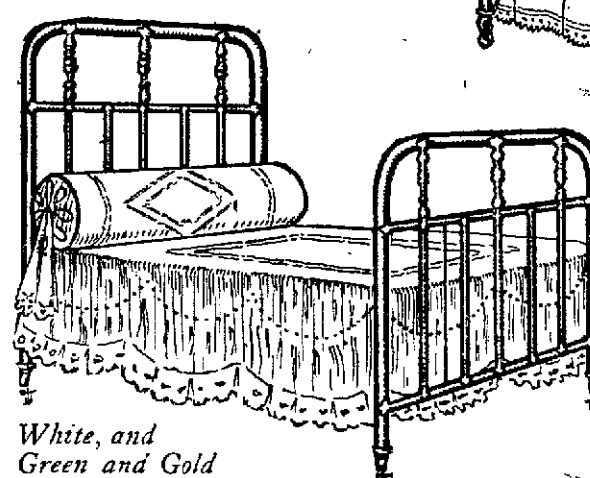


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PROFESSOR CRUEL WIFE WINS SUIT

Mrs. Anna Hawes Thompson Granted Divorce in Chicago Courts

CHICAGO, June 9.—Mrs. Anna Hawes Wilmarth Thompson was yesterday granted a divorce from her husband, James W. Thompson, associate professor of history in the University of Chicago.

Extreme and repeated acts of cruelty were the charges upon which the decree was granted.

A decree was entered by Judge Honore after the evidence had been given by the plaintiff and two witnesses, a brother of the defendant and by a maid.

News of the divorce caused a commotion in the University of Chicago circles, where Thompson and his wife are prominent. The couple have been married twelve years and have one child, a boy, Wilmarth, 10 years old. He was given into the custody of the mother.

Mrs. Thompson testified that she had been repeatedly subjected to physical violence at the hands of her husband and she recited specific instances of cruelty. Similar testimony was given by Hannah Christensen, the maid, Wayne Thompson, the brother of the professor, also testifying to acts of cruelty on the part of the defendant.

SIX SENIORS AT CONVENT HALL

Bishop O'Connell Will Deliver Baccalaureate Address and Award Medals

The annual commencement exercises at Sacred Heart College will be held Tuesday afternoon, June 15, under the direction of the Sisters of the Holy Names.

The graduating class which is made up of six girls is unusually small this year, and those of the few who will receive diplomas are Miss M. T. Arriola, of Mexico City, Miss Cora S. Cote, of Los Angeles; Miss Maude Bovey, of Belle Vista; Miss Lillian Terry, of Alameda and Miss Madge McCarthy and Miss Francis Hogan of this city.

Bishop O'Connell, co-adjutor of Archbishop Riordan, of San Francisco diocese, will deliver the baccalaureate address and at the conclusion of the awarding of medals for meritorious work in the various classes and a short musical program will distribute the sheepskins.

CLASSIFIED ADS IN THE TRIBUNE PAY BIG RETURNS FOR MONEY INVESTED.

TWELVE SMALL ESTATES ESCHEATED TO THE STATE

By order of Superior Judge O'Shea twelve small estates were escheated to the State yesterday, the statutory time having elapsed without any heirs claiming to the property.

The largest estate is that of Samuel Neece, amounting to \$236.55, and the others are as follows: A. L. Froustone, \$66.92; James Fannon, \$235.39; Westley Taylor, \$312.53; G. L. Army, \$14.83; Gustave Klappenbach, \$100.49; Minnie Munn, \$134.92; Antonio Valcicht (also known as Antonio Valcocht), \$363.93; Emily F. Full, \$65.29; James Fox, \$129.29; Frank Miller, \$128.14; and John Spvski, \$155.08.

THINK PRISONER INSANE.

SAN FRANCISCO, June 9.—When Policemen Desmond and Cordon came across Luigi Grelli wandering around in a back yard at Eighteenth and Vermont streets, they were convinced that they had captured a burglar. While waiting for the arrival of the patrol wagon, the officers became convinced that their prisoner was insane, and he was taken to the detention hospital.



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FRAUD CHARGED IN OBTAINING DIVORCE

Wife of Wm. Guggenheim, Head of Smelter Trust, Brings Action

MADE TO GIVE FALSE TESTIMONY, SHE CLAIMS

Charges Filed by Dunne, Who, When on Bench Rendered Verdict

CHICAGO, June 8.—Charges that a suit for divorce by Grace B. Guggenheim, in 1901, against William Guggenheim, head of the smelter trust, was won through fraud and collusion were made before Judge Honore this afternoon, and were followed by an order that the principals show cause why the decree should not be set aside.

Former Mayor Edward F. Dunne appeared in court with the affidavits in which the alleged fraud is detailed. The decree was obtained before former Mayor Dunne while he was sitting as judge, and he told Judge Honore that he was convinced that fraud had been practiced on the court.

"This decree was obtained through fraud and conspiracy," Mr. Dunne declared. "At the time both were residents of New York, but the complainant was induced to come to Chicago to begin suit. The husband of the complainant, she came here in 1901 and registered at one of the hotels, where she remained for a few days. Then she returned to New York and later again visited Chicago. A bill for divorce was then filed and the court, believing he had jurisdiction, heard the testimony and granted the decree. The woman now swears that she was then and has been since a resident of New York."

Conspiracy Charged

What purports to be a detailed history of the relations of the complainant and Guggenheim from the time of their marriage to the present is contained in her affidavit. In this she makes averments that Guggenheim and her supposed attorney, Louis Werner of New York, conspired to practice a fraud on the court.

At the time of the decree the complainant got \$150,000, of which Werner received \$12,500. At the time it is claimed by the complainant, it had been represented to her that the defendant was "the weakest and least important member of the Guggenheim family," while in fact he is the ablest of the seven brothers and the chief organizer and business head of the great combination of mining and smelting interests owned and controlled by him and his family. His wealth is now more than \$3,500,000.

The complainant has been thrice married and has figured in an equal number of divorce suits. Guggenheim married after the decree was signed by Judge Dunne, the successor to the complainant being Almee Lillian Steinberger. The complainant's first husband was William C. Herbert, a naval officer, who obtained a decree on the ground of desertion. Guggenheim was the second, marrying the complainant November 30, 1900. Less than four months later the decree of divorce was entered in Chicago. Her next husband was Julius Roger Wahl, who obtained an annulment of the contract in France on the ground that the Chicago decree was invalid.

SHOW INTEREST IN BENEFIT BAZAAR

Committees of Ladies' Endeavor Society Are Completing Final Arrangements

The local Jewish community is enthusiastically looking forward to the benefit bazaar for the Congregation Beth Jacob, Ninth and Castro streets, given by the Ladies' Endeavor Society, with the assistance of the Judaea, Hadassah and Esther, on the afternoons and evenings of June 12, 14 and 15, in Foresters' Hall, Thirteenth and Clay streets.

The committee is working very hard to make this affair a grand success, very fine prizes have been received.

Exceptionally fine talent has been secured for the three evenings. Sunday will be under the auspices of the Judaea; Monday, Hadassah, and Tuesday, Ladies' Endeavor.

Women Work Zealously

Mrs. Dora Davis, chairman of the Ladies' Endeavor committee, is chairman of the bazaar committee, assisted by Mrs. D. Markovitz, president of the Ladies' Endeavor Society; Mrs. A. Davis, Mrs. M. Hellman, Mrs. H. Hirsch, Mrs. K. Silverstein, Mrs. M. Carash, Mrs. H. Davis and Mrs. R. Zuckerman.

I. Goldman and D. Steinberg represent the congregation on the committee. The committee of the Judaea consists of Harry Buckman, Charles Kietz, Ed Schary, M. Goldman, Joseph O. Levy, Joseph Kietz, M. Schoenfeld, Ernest Eisenberg and Philip Viner.

The Hadassah Club, which is entirely composed of young ladies, has appointed the following committee: Miss May Goldwater, chairman, Miss Pauline Hirsch, Miss Miriam Seidner, Miss Mollie Kietz and Miss B. Barnett.

The Estherites, which is composed of the younger girls, have selected the following committee: Miss E. Buchman, chairman; Miss J. Steinberg, Miss L. Braunstein, Miss S. Garfinkle and Miss A. Poris.

Vagaries of a Cold.

You can never be quite sure where a cold is going to hit you. In the fall and winter it may settle in the bowels, producing severe pain. In the summer it may give you colic with diarrhea or summer complaint. Do not be alarmed nor torment yourself with fears of appendicitis or inflammation of the bowels. At the first sign the pain or cramp take Perry Davis' Painkiller in warm, sweetened water and relief will come at once. There is but one reliable Perry Davis'. It is now put up in a large size as well as the regular 50c size.

DIVORCE MEANS DECADENCE OF NATION

Moral Teaching of Young Declared Remedy by Judge Graham

WANTS LAWS REGULATING MARRIAGE STRICTER

Children of Separated Couples Worse Than Orphans, He Declares

SAN FRANCISCO, June 8.—Apart from its contradiction, selfishness, cowardly baseness and cruelty, divorce is to be condemned because it leads to the decadence, the shame and destruction of the family," said Judge Thomas F. Graham in an address last night on "Marriage and Divorce," before the California council, Knights of Columbus, in Knights of Columbus hall.

Continuing, Judge Graham asserted that as long as the marriage relation remained uncorrupted the American nation would maintain its supremacy, but that when these bonds were loosened the race would degenerate and decay.

Ideal Relation

"Our clergy have taught the moral and spiritual disintegration that divorce works in the social body. It remains for us practical men to apply our worldly shrewdness in a search for the remedy. We should never lose sight of the fact that the family relation is the earthy ideal relation. Upon the basis of this relation America has developed a strong, virile race of men and women.

"If divorce obtains possession of the world by an ever increasing frequency, what will become of multitudes of little ones, robbed of names?

Worse Than Orphans

"They are worse than orphans, for they imitate with maternal love hatred for their fathers or take lessons in cursing their mothers from their father's lips. A philosopher who has reasons for his assertion has advised an increase of asylums. That would do only to entomb the homeless ones. And the family would perish. Unity, heredity, tradition, peace, harmony, strength and fecundity, all would be lost.

"The divorce laws should be stiffened. The suits should be heard in one specially appointed court, whose judge would be a man to inspire the confidence of the litigants, a man with enthusiasm in this line of work, with sufficient tact and sympathy to be made a confidant in the pitiable tales, to bring the warring together.

Teaching the Remedy

"But the real reform will come in the body politic. The moral and spiritual teachers of our country are raising a warning cry. Our women are taking it to their homes, clubs and societies. Someday the divorce problem will settle itself. Marriages will be contracted with such care that few will find their way to the courts to be dissolved by law.

"The true remedy lies in the moral teaching of the young and the example of the elders. Girls should be brought up with a sense of wifely duties, the burdens that marriage entails, the disgrace of being a household ornament. Boys must be taught to respect the opposite sex, to consider marriage as binding for life, and to resist the future and be sure of being able to provide.

"Unhappy marriages will exist, however, as long as men take after Adam and women after Eve."

HELD FOR INDUCING BOYS TO COMMIT THEFT

M. H. Lane, a contractor of Elmhurst was arrested yesterday in East Oakland by Constable Allen of Fruitvale, and charged with having induced three boys to steal mechanical fittings from the new power house of the Southern Pacific company in Fruitvale and then purchasing them from the boys.

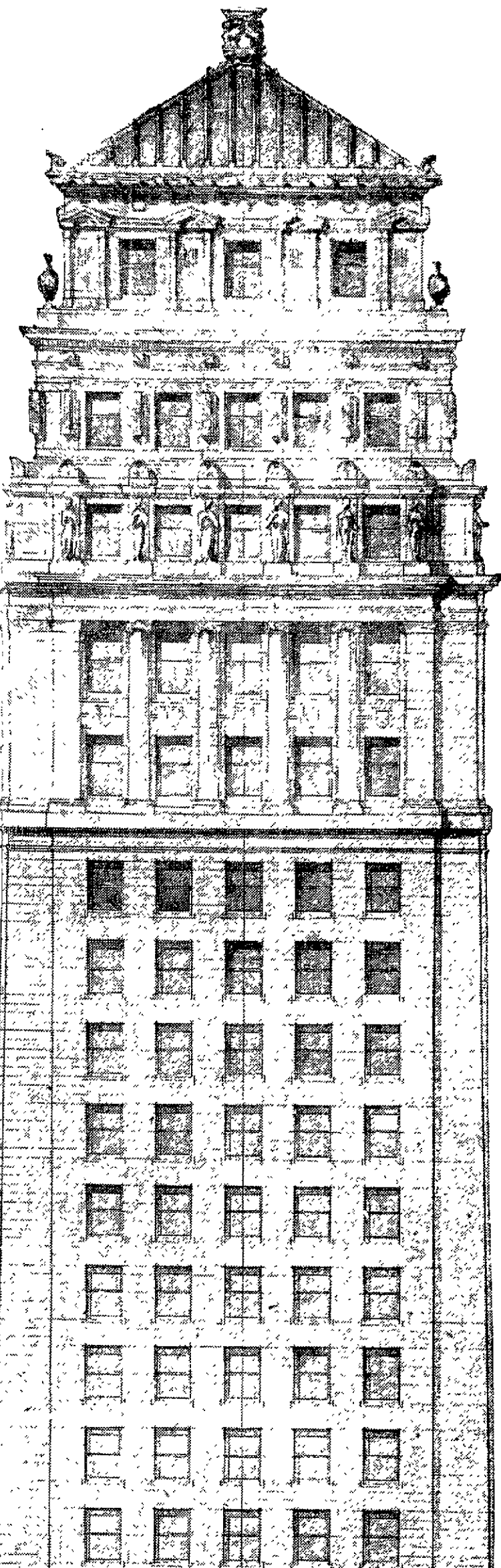
Four months ago Lane made application for the contract of the power house, but failed to secure it.

When taken to prison he was reticent and sullen, claiming entire ignorance of the matter and stating that it was a scheme of the youths to free themselves. He was booked for grand larceny and placed under \$1000 bail. The trial will take place June 16.

NICHOLAS CASE GOES OVER FOR THREE WEEKS

SAN FRANCISCO, June 8.—The case against F. U. Nicholas, ex-supervisor and one of the star witnesses against Calhoun, was called in Judge Lawlor's court today. He is accused of receiving a bribe of \$25,000 in connection with a furniture deal, and his attorney, Judge T. H. Connelley, has a continuance for three weeks.

Proposed Plans for Oakland's City Hall, Drawn by Dickey & Reed, Which, if Accepted, Will Give This City the Tallest Building in the State of California. The Proposed Building is 18 Stories in Height and Has a Frontage on Fourteenth Street of 140 Feet. Seven reasons Are Advanced by Dickey & Reed as to Why Oakland Should Have Such a City Hall as They Propose.



18-STORY CITY HALL FOR OAKLAND PLANNED BY LOCAL ARCHITECTS

Designers Give Reasons Why Structure Would Have Advantages Over Usual Low Public Building

In event plans prepared by the local architects, Dickey & Reed, are accepted by the city, Oakland will have the most unique city hall in the world. It will be the tallest building in the State of California and will be a monument that on clear days may be seen as far away as San Jose or Contra Costa. The general scheme of the building is that of a skyscraper office building eighteen stories in height with a frontage on Fourteenth street of about 140 feet.

City halls generally cover a great amount of ground area but are never very high. The aim of the architects in the present case is to conserve the ground area and at the same time make the various offices easy of access. There will be a suitable number of rapid elevators in the building to take passengers from the ground floor to the top. For instance, the Mayor's office might be at the top of the building, 315 feet above the street. Next the City Auditor and Assessor and so on down the list of offices. The police courts and jails would be the very lowest stories. In fact, the jail would be in the basement, extending underneath the sidewalks and lighted as the basements of large department stores are.

The proposed office plan of construction has many things to recommend it. Instead of a pedestrian having to walk a block and a half to get to a desired office all that is necessary is to step in the elevator and get off at the floor wanted. In the next place there is not a building like it in the world. Any person getting on Washington street and looking toward the city hall would invariably ask what the building at Fourteenth street was. The reply would be, "It is the city hall."

Architects' Views

Here are the reasons advanced by the architects in favor of their unique architectural creation:

"If the present site is retained it is very desirable to retain the peak as a breathing space in the center of the city. If separate buildings are erected for the City Hall and Hall of Justice, as has been proposed, it will necessitate building the City Hall on the ground now occupied by the park. The result would be that Oakland would lose a beautiful open city square, the two buildings would be crowded in among commercial buildings and could have no proper setting and very little dignity.

Park in Front

"On the other hand, if a single building is erected on the land west of Washington street, it will have a very fine setting by leaving the open park in front.

"Two separate low buildings would be commonplace, no matter how well designed. Visitors to our city would be so familiar with buildings of this type that they would not attract more than passing notice. On the other hand, a tall office building towering many stories above the surrounding buildings would form a most unique and interesting, as well as stately and beautiful municipal building. Visitors would be greatly impressed by it and would speak of it after returning to their homes.

"It would be a landmark that could be seen from all the surrounding country and would fittingly define the civic center of the city of Oakland, doing much to attract attention to our city and to awaken a spirit of civic pride in our citizens.

Practical Scheme

"The scheme is eminently practical. Business can be conducted more easily and expeditiously in a tall office building equipped with rapid elevators than in a low spreading building where one has to walk a half block to reach an elevator or stairway and a half block back again to reach his desired destination.

"It will be cheaper to build one building than two and much cheaper to maintain the one than the two.

"A much greater display can be made for the same money with one building than with two.

"A maximum of light and ventilation can be obtained by a single tall building.

"The scheme lends itself to necessary expansion for a future city and county government. When such a consolidation takes place, the courts can be removed

to the present county buildings and the space thus vacated can be used for the additional officials.

Description of Building

"The sketches call for an eighteen-story classic structure set on a wide stylobate. The first three stories form a monumental base 140 feet square with dignified colonnades on three fronts. Above this base rises a simple shaft 80 feet square with the upper stories richly ornamented with architectural forms. The total height of the building is 324 feet, or slightly taller than the Call building in San Francisco.

"It is proposed to build the first three stories of white limestone and white terra cotta and the upper stories of white brick and white terra cotta.

"On the first two floors are located the tax assessor and collector, treasurer, license department and police department, with emergency hospital and operating room.

"On the third floor are located the Board of Health, sanitary inspectors, laboratory, etc., leaving considerable space unassigned.

"On the fourth to ninth floors, inclusive, are located the courts, each court room two stories in height with all the necessary accessories including the city attorney's department.

"The tenth and eleventh floors are unassigned and are intended for future expansion.

"The twelfth floor is for the Board of Education.

"The thirteenth floor is for the City Clerk, etc.

"The fourteenth floor, which is a rich story, is for the city council, with committee rooms.

"The fifteenth and sixteenth floors are for the Board of Works, Street Department, Building Department, City Electrician, etc.

"The seventeenth floor is for the City Engineer.

"The eighteenth floor is for the Mayor.

Jail in Basement

"In the basement under the building is located the power plant and storage space. The portions of basement (about 50 feet wide) extending out under the broad stylobate and sidewalk is to be used for a jail. This space can be beautifully lighted by sidewalk vault lights and perfectly ventilated by sidewalk ventilators and by a powerful fan which would blow the air out through an underground duct to discharge through an ornamental kioski in the park.

"Four large rapid passenger elevators and a freight elevator (that could be used by the janitor and by the police department to bring witnesses, prisoners, etc., from the first floor and from the basement jail to the court rooms, would easily handle the traffic.

"The main entrance hall and stairway from first to second floor will be treated in a monumental manner, but the remainder of the building will be treated as a practical office building.

"Every inch of the interior is well lighted and ventilated and there is a maximum amount of working floor space.

"The space under the pyramid, a classic the roof will be occupied by tanks, overhead work of elevators, etc.

"The estimate cost of the building is one million dollars."

J. Q. RIDEOUT TO BE POSTMASTER

Congressman Knowland Receives Recommendations of Committeemen

WASHINGTON, June 8.—It is reported here that J. Q. Rideout will receive the appointment as postmaster at San Leandro.

Congressman Knowland has received the recommendations of District Attorney Donahue and Lou Greille of Pleasanton, both of whom are on his congressional committee. They favor the appointment of Rideout.

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MISS ILLINGTON HIDES IN RENO

Joins Divorce Colony Six Weeks Ago But Keeps Presence Secret

RENO, June 8.—In a cottage at 334 Moran street, on the outskirts of this city, Margaret Illington, the actress and wife of Daniel Frohman, the New York theatrical manager, has been discovered. Gowned in a plain dress of white stuff, an apron and a large white sunbonnet that obscured her face, she was watering the small lawn.

Beside the actress was her mother, Mrs. Light, of Bloomington, Ill. No disguise that Margaret Illington could have assumed would have been more obvious or more effective. No photograph taken of her in her starry career bears the least likeness to the plain country woman that Reno hardly knows.

Cold Reception

She started perceptibly when she found that she was recognized and even as her manner chilled her face seemed—only momentarily—to have grown old. She hesitated and then said faintly:

"I do not care to be interviewed or to talk to any newspaper man. I just want to be left alone."

"I don't see why my daughter should be bothered," interjected Mrs. Light, the actress' vigilant mother. And Margaret Illington, who had been almost overcome at finding herself known, fled into the house.

For months Margaret Illington has kept secret her dwelling place. For months she has lived in Reno and the whole of this iniquitous, none-too-large city has been completely unaware of her presence. Even the gossiping divorce colony knew nothing. How did she do it?

Never before has a woman been able to efface herself so completely in Reno as Margaret Illington has heretofore suc-

CHINA EXCITED OVER MINISTER

Government Stirred Because Americans Refuse Official Place at Peking

WASHINGTON, June 9.—One of the most important questions considered by President Taft at his Cabinet meeting yesterday was the selection of a new Minister to China. President Taft has already offered this post to ex-Senators Fulton of Oregon and Hemenway of Indiana, and William Nelson Cromwell of New York, all of whom declined.

It is now understood that these repeated declinations have somewhat stirred the Chinese Government, while, on the other hand, President Taft regards the Chinese post as one of the most important in his gift. It is further understood that the President has a man in mind for this post, but will not make it public until it has been definitely decided upon by himself and advisers for fear another public declination may stir the Chinese Government into an open protest. In the meantime until the Chinese post is settled it is doubtful if the President will send in any other diplomatic nominations.

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ceded in doing. It took careful search for days to find her.

If Margaret Illington's suit for divorce from Daniel Frohman is filed as soon as it is expected, the question of legal residence will be raised. It will be contended that she has been in Nevada only since taking the cottage, six weeks ago.



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Maccabee Women Offer Prizes in Whist Tournament

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Oakland Hive No. 14, Ladies of the Maccabees, have perfected plans for a whist tournament to be given June 10, in Maccabee Temple, Eleventh and Clay streets. The members of the hive expect many expert players of this country to take part in the tourney. The game is scheduled to begin at 8:00. The committee in charge of the details of the affair is composed of Mrs. W. Childs, chairman; Mrs. Myers, Mrs. M. Marcovich, Mrs. Hademacher, Mrs. L. Egan, Mrs. Shibley and Mrs. Garrison. The artistic prizes have been selected for the winners.

\$30,000,000 SUIT FINALLY SETTLED

Action Against Sugar Trust Brought to Close Out of Court

NEW YORK, June 9.—The \$30,000,000 suit of the Pennsylvania Sugar Refining Company against the American Sugar Refining Company, the so-called trust, was settled out of court last evening. Terms of the settlement were not made public. Possibly a statement will be forthcoming today. The plaintiff charged, in effect, that it had been driven out of business. Witnesses testified that Adolph Segel of Philadelphia, controlling power of the Pennsylvania Sugar Refining Company, borrowed from Gustav A. Kissel \$2,500,000 for which he gave as security 24,000 shares of the Pennsylvania Sugar Refining Company, together with a voting trust certificate for the same, which was to run until the repayment of the loan.

With the power thus conferred, Kissel, it was alleged, installed himself and three of his clerks as directors of the Independent Sugar Company and having control of the directors, he secured the adoption of a resolution providing that the company should be converted into a corporation, which is said to be one of the most economical ever built, should not be opened or operated until further orders.

The details will not be made public until after ratification by the Pennsylvania court that appointed George D. Earle Jr. receiver of the Pennsylvania Sugar Refining Company. If such ratification is not made the case will have to be retried.

NEW YORK, June 8.—Charles Miller, who has worked for \$30 a month for thirty-four years as a waiter behind the lunch counter in the old Astor House, resigned his job yesterday and announced his intention of taking a trip to Europe. At the hotel it was said that Miller had accumulated a fortune of \$200,000 from working as a waiter. He is familiarly known by many prominent men in the lower part of Manhattan and about the counter every day could be found men on whom he had been waiting for a quarter of a century.

FESTIVAL OF HOLY GHOST

BRING

SAN LORENZO, June 9.—The San Lorenzo celebration of the festival of the Holy Ghost, Saturday evening and Sunday, attracted increased crowds from the surrounding country. It was one of the most important and successful celebrations yet held here. Saturday evening the exercises consisted of a procession to the I. D. E. S. Hall, led by the Ashland brass band, where the crown was placed in the chapel. Then followed fireworks and dances. The Ashland band furnished the music. The procession Sunday morning was a most imposing one, being led by the brass band and the I. D. E. S. and S. P. R. S. I. lodges, with a large number of children dressed in white. The procession marched to St. John's Church, the post of honor of carrying the crown at the head of the procession being conferred on Miss Mamie Caldera, and carrying the scepter on Miss Mary George. Miss Berry, Lollie Souto and Elsie Garcia. Miss Mamie Perry carried the S. P. R. S. I. banner and Miss Annie Perry and Miss Mamie Lewis were her aides. The Holy Ghost services at St. John's Church were of a most impressive character and the interior was crowded to the doors.

Rev. Father Silva officiated. After the church services three religious feasting at the I. D. E. S. headquarters and a supply of different articles were disposed of, followed by another dance on Sunday evening.

EXPERT REPORTS ON DREDGING

Engineer Thinks 25 Foot Harbor Deep Enough For Practical Purposes

At the meeting of the directors of the Oak and Chamber of Commerce yesterday afternoon, a communication from the Judson Iron Works at Emeryville regarding the working of the new Wright railroad bill, which was passed at the last session of the Legislature, was referred to the railroad committee.

Bills to the amount of \$584.64 were ordered paid.

O. E. Holle was appointed a delegate to the Seattle exposition.

Professor Gibson reported that the committee to which had been referred the matter of holding a banquet under the auspices of the Chamber of Commerce had decided to report in favor of giving a banquet, admission to which would be had on the payment of a reasonable sum.

It was decided to appoint a committee of five for the purpose of determining the manner in which the banquet should be given, and to secure sites here for manufacturing establishments should be handling.

To Display Signs

A communication from the San Jose Fourth of July committee asking that the autos of this enterprise, being small wagons setting forth the holding of the celebration, might be allowed to pass through this city without being considered advertising mediums, it is saving the owners from the annoyance and expense of being compelled to pay for a license or a fine. It was decided to bring the matter to the attention of the Board of Police and Fire Commissioners.

In response to a communication from the Chamber of Commerce, respecting the dredging of the harbor of Oakland, Lieutenant Colonel John Biddle of the corps of engineers of the United States Army, who has the improvement of the local harbor in hand, wrote as follows:

"San Francisco, June 8, 1909.—I have been carefully studying the situation of Oakland Harbor with reference to its further improvement. I have had all the business establishments located on the map and the dredging that has been done by private parties as well as by the city. As you will know, I am desirous to have this harbor developed to the fullest extent to which it will be utilized, commensurate with the cost.

\$4,000,000 Needed

A rough estimate of the cost of the several propositions made by you is based on April 13, gives for the first proposition \$1,500,000; the second proposition, \$2,000,000, and the third, \$1,000,000.

These are large sums of money, and meeting the proposition in one instance, simply the deepening from 25 to 30 feet, the needs must be apparent to justify the recommendation. The great majority of vessels coming to San Francisco harbor do not draw 25 feet. The more, except in one instance, the dredging by private parties does not equal in depth the 25 feet provided by the Government. It is, therefore, not evident to my mind that a depth of 30 feet will increase or facilitate the commerce to the extent commensurate with the cost.

"I desire to have the fullest knowledge on the subject and would therefore be pleased to hear from you on the subject or meet members of the committee in the improvement at any time you may suggest."

"Very respectfully,"

"JOHN BIDDLE,"

"Lt.-Col. Corps Engineers, U. S. A."

UNHAPPY COUPLES ARE GIVEN FREEDOM BY COURT

Philomena Pennessy was yesterday granted a final decree of divorce in the Superior Court from Andrew Pennessy, on the ground of failure to provide, and a similar decree was entered in favor of Della Ruble in her suit against William Ruble, for desertion. Interlocutory decrees were granted as follows: Nellie M. Wallace, against Angelo from Mary K. Angelo, desertion; Joseph C. Flint from Mamie L. Flint, desertion; and Marie Le Reeves from George L. Reeves, desertion.

CUTICURA CURED CHIEF OF POLICE

Canadian Officer Poisoned by Weeds

—Eczema Developed and Legs Became Scaly—Ankles Were Very Sore and Itchy—For Weeks He Could Not Wear Shoes.

FREED FROM ITCHING BY CUTICURA REMEDIES

"I have been successfully cured of dry eczema. I was inspecting the removal of noxious weeds, it being part of my duty, from the edge of a river and was constantly in the dust from the weeds. At night I shook out my trousers and cleaned my limbs, but it felt a prickly sensation. I paid no attention to it for two days, but I noticed a scum on my legs like fish scales. I could scrape it off, and yet I did not attend to it until it came to be too itchy and sore and began getting two running sores. My ankles were all raw and scabby and I could not wear shoes. I had to use carpet and felt slippers for weeks. I was then on particular police duty and was compelled to be on duty. I got a cake of the Cuticura Soap and some Cuticura Ointment. In less than ten days I could put on my boots and in less than three weeks, though on duty all the time, I was free from the condition itching. I tell you frankly that Cuticura saved me from what the doctors called a bad leg. Capt. George E. Bliss, Chief of Police, Morris, Manitoba, Mar. 20, 1907, and Sept. 6, 1908."

For Baby's Bath

Cuticura Soap has become the Mothers' Favorite.

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\$1500—A modern modern house; lot 50x125; in the heart of the city; 10 minutes' walk from the electric car; 1000 sq. ft. Hill home in Hayward; lot 100x125; 6 rooms; 2-story; 6-room furnished cottage; fruit; barn; no finer location in Hayward; \$1500 cash, balance \$200.

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\$7500—23 acres; fine soil; 17 rooms; bearing orchard, balance 1000 bushels; 1000 sq. ft. Hill home in Hayward; will sell you a beautiful sub-division or a beautiful lot; 26 acres; 8000 bushels; price \$19,000; \$5000 cash, balance \$14,000.

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 mortgage.
Finest - right in center of
 ward; lot 200x200 feet; 4 fine
 of 14 rooms; all modern con-
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 price, \$5600.
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\$3000 - 6-room house, barn, chicken houses; 2 acres; fine orchard in full bearing; 12 chickens; fine lot; 12 chickens; beautiful location; 1 mile from San Francisco; right in town; cash, balance mortgage.

\$3500 - 10 acres, fine garden soil; 12 chickens; 12 ducks; 12 pigeons; finished house, well furnished; and outbuildings; implements. 12 chickens; 12 ducks; 12 pigeons; wagon; school on adjoining 1 mile from town.

\$6000 - 10 acres, fine lot, well-earched, balance hay; 8-room house modern conveniences; fine barn; 12 chickens; 12 ducks; 12 pigeons; wagon; buggy; 12 cows; fine lot of chicken; one acre; business center; \$6000 balance.

\$3750 - 10 acres, 4 acres full-earched, 2 acres vineyard, balance good house; 12 chickens; 12 ducks; 12 pigeons; 12 chickens; 12 ducks; 12 pigeons; 2 rooms; barn, chicken house;

\$2500—Horse, cow, chickens, ducks, geese, turkeys; 4-room house, furnished; barn, outbuildings, good chicken pens; 2 tons hay; farming implements; 750 chickens; orchard; 6 acres fruit trees; you ask? Only half mile from town.

\$5500—10-acre; 5-room house, new; farming implements, wagon, horse, 750 chickens; 1000 bushels corn; orchard; 4 acres hay and fine eucalyptus grove; big crop fruit trees; 1000 chickens; 1000 eggs; 1000 chickens lay out in the country.

\$4000— $\frac{1}{4}$ acre land soil; full-bearing apple tree; good 8-room house; 2 rooms, basement, farming implements, wagon, horse, cow, hogs, chickens; 1000 bushels corn; 1000 eggs; ranch; will accept \$2500 cash. Balance payable; half mile from town; electric.

\$2500— $\frac{1}{4}$ acre; full-bearing orchard balance hay; good 4-room house, 2 rooms, bathroom; 1000 bushels corn; chickens; 1000 eggs; 1000 chickens.

\$2000—Pretty country home; acres hay; good 4-room house, barn, horses, horse, 1000 bushels corn, almonds; 4-year-old maid; and 1000 eggs; no finer location in the county.

\$7500—13 acres; good 8-room bird-nest

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Attorney Is Still in
Committee

WASHINGTON, June 9.—The fight of Dr. Perrin who was convicted of conspiracy in land frauds in connection with Benson against Robert T. Devlin, the United States District Attorney who secured his conviction is likely to result in the refusal of the United States Senate to confirm the nomination of Devlin for reappointment. The nomination is still hung up in the subcommittee of the Senate committee on Judiciary and will be asked to come on to the Senate floor and under the committee to answer questions as to the manner in which the case against Perrin and Benson was conducted.

It has been claimed also that President Roosevelt failed to implicate the late Senator Morgan, whom he believed to be implicated in some way in the land frauds and that he was after Morgan because of that Senator's hostility to the Panama canal. Dr. Perrin asserts that if Devlin were not enough evidence could be got from him to warrant the indictment of Devlin. The charges against Devlin in a report made to the Department of Justice by William R. Wilcox, recently appointed Assistant Attorney-General, are to the effect that the detective work before the Grand Jury and virtually all the District Attorney Black who presented the case to the Grand Jury, said to have knowledge of these alleged facts.

The Senate committee has been devious of inspecting Harris report but beyond the fact that it is understood to exonerate Perrin and to show that he was the victim of a conspiracy, nothing has been learned about it.

Chosen Chairman Of the N. Y. Public Service Commission



WILLIAM R. WILCOX.

NEW YORK, June 9.—William R. Wilcox, chairman of the New York City Board of the State Utilities Commission, has just been elected chairman of the Public Service Commission. He is 44 years old and has for twenty years been identified with Union League Club wing of the Republican party.

Wilcox was born in Smyrna, Chenango county N. Y., April 11, 1867. His father being Thomas L. Wilcox, a descendant of early settlers. His mother was Miss Catherine B. Storer.

ROLPH WILL NOT RUN FOR MAYOR

Declines Nomination Offered
By Municipal League of
Independent Clubs

SAN FRANCISCO, June 9.—James Rolph Jr. last night formally and positively declined the nomination of the Municipal League of Independent Clubs of San Francisco as candidate for Mayor of this city. He was waited on by a committee composed of F. H. Dam, Daniel Ryan, Dick Welch and Harry McKanay who were appointed by the party Monday after an action endorsing Rolph.

The reactionaries of the county committee had proposed to have Rolph endorsed by the league convention last night, but they awoke to find that the Municipal League had cut the political underpinning from beneath their feet. Rolph and his associates now talk of small politics and "underhand methods" on the part of the opposing faction.

Has Not the Time
In declaring his intention not to accept the nomination Rolph said last night:

I had prepared an answer for the committee of the Republican County Committee which I saw by the paper as to why I did not wish to offer me its nomination. I had prepared this answer but it has not yet been called on. Of course, I do not know why it has not.

While I was expecting it, another committee called at my house at 8 o'clock this evening, representing the Municipal League of Republican Clubs and told me that it was its desire to offer me the nomination.

While I did not feel at liberty to give it the answer which I had prepared for the other committee, I told it that it would be impossible for me to accept the nomination and that while I deeply appreciated the honor which was sought to confer upon me, I did not feel that I could accept it.

When asked for his reason for declining the nomination, Rolph said that his business required his attention, and that he felt that it would be impossible for him to give his time to the municipal office.

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There are only about 50 left out of more than 200. Over 150 have been put out in the last two weeks. This extraordinary opportunity to get the use of an instrument absolutely free until we are permanently located in our new quarters is almost at an end, but we still have quite a number of brand new instruments to select from in a number of different makes. Of course, if you prefer to rent an instrument year in and year out we will give you the lowest possible rate anywhere else, as we must find room for every piano we have in stock. We have Grand, Player Pianos and new Uprights, as well as used instruments to select from. The reason of this extraordinary offer is that the landlord of the premises at the expiration of the lease doubled our rent, in the middle of the vacation season at the Heine Piano Company at no time will pay what they consider an unfair rent, as it is not possible to treat the public square if you are paying more rent than the population warrants. The great success of this company has been that they have always insisted upon all their tranches paying a fair rent. If you want to buy an instrument on easy terms we will give you the same price as spot cash. We are making such a reduction in used pianos that you could not help but be tempted and all we want is to get a place to put our instruments so that we will not have to store them for the time we will be getting our new warehouses ready. Don't put this off. Before the end of the week your opportunity will be over. Heine Piano Company, 536 Twelfth street corner Clay street. Open evenings.

FIND FUGITIVE IN PENITENTIARY

Elmer Fulton, Wanted Here
For Forgery, Is Nevada's
Guest For Year

After a search which has lasted over a year and covered every section of the State, Sheriff Barnett has secured Elmer Fulton, wanted here for forgery and uttering, fictitious bank checks in the penitentiary at Carson City, Nev., where he is serving out a month for a felony committed at Carson City.

Fulton is a plasterer by trade and was working here with the permission of the local plasterers union at the time he floated several spurious bank checks. His victims were fellow tradesmen. After gathering in a considerable sum of money by getting others to cash the checks, the worthless paper was turned in.

The victim secured the money to Sheriff Barnett, and he immediately instituted a search for Fulton, which included a detective agency. It was by means of one of the latter that the fugitive was finally located.

The Nevada authorities say that Fulton is also wanted in Sacramento for passing bad checks to the amount of \$1000 before he worked his way into Nevada.

MISS C. PARDEE OPERATED UPON

Third Daughter of Dr. and
Mrs. Pardee in East Bay
Sanitarium

Miss Carol Pardee, the third daughter of Dr. and Mrs. George C. Pardee was operated upon this morning at the East Bay Sanitarium for appendicitis.

The operation was most successful and the patient was resting comfortably at noon. There is a delightful family of girls in the Pardee home, which is one of the most hospitable in the city. The illness of Miss Carol has been the occasion for much sympathy from the many friends of the family, who will be pleased to learn of the successful operation with every hope for a speedy recovery.

HERRMANN'S SONS PLAN PICNIC FOR JUNE 20

BERKELEY, June 9.—The West Berkeley lodge of Herrmann's Sons met last night in Holtz hall to discuss plans for a picnic to be given by this order at East Richmond park on Sunday, June 20th. Games and dancing will be enjoyed by the members and their friends and a lunch eaten under the big oaks on the hill. Several novelties are planned for the affair.

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We are closing out our Millinery Department for the season and the balance of our Trimmed Hats are marked to sell for HALF OFF.

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OAKLAND.

TOPSY, FIREMEN'S PET NUMBERED WITH DEAD

ALAMEDA, June 9.—Topsy, 'Jes' growled but now Topsy is dead. The faithful Topsy of the Webb avenue fire house watchdog and friend of the firemen's families. There is mourning at the fire station for this morning the wheels of a truck ran over Topsy and death resulted almost instantly.

When the fire horses were pulling the truck from the firehouse, Topsy, who was driving Topsy was asleep in front of the building. Sweet dreams of dog land held Topsy in their spell and the cruel wheels passed over her faithful body crushing out a long life of usefulness.

PLANTING ALFALFA.

We plant alfalfa every month in the year in Glenn county. We are enabled to do this on account of the extremely mild climate and because we have the very best land in which to grow it, and for the further reason that we have abundant water for irrigation. For instance last week we planted a portion of the 1200 acres of Jennings Tract No. 2 and this week the alfalfa is growing beautifully. It is remarkable how quickly alfalfa will come up under favorable conditions and how soon we get a crop after it has been properly planted. The work is going ahead beautifully and before the rainy season sets in we hope to have the entire 1200 acres planted to alfalfa. We estimate that the alfalfa grown on this land will pay a net profit per month the first year of \$20 per acre, the second year \$40 per acre and the third and every year thereafter \$60. To grow alfalfa requires replanting. Planted once, it goes on continuously. We have prepared a booklet entitled 'Alfalfa Growing in Glenn County' which we will mail to persons interested. We sell this land under irrigation planted to alfalfa, the proceeds of the crops going to the buyer 10 acres for \$1400, \$200 down, \$1 monthly.

We take a party to Glenn county Saturday at 10 return Sunday p.m. Join us, the expense is \$6.10. We credit the amount on your contract. ALFALFA LAND CO., 620 First National Bank Building, Oakland.

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For 'Automobile Eyes' Insurance Ask your druggist for Marine Eye Remedy.

WEDDED LIFE ONE TRIAL, SHE SAYS

Daughter of Member of Canadian Parliament Seeks Divorce From Nevada

SAN FRANCISCO, June 9.—Declaring that her life with the man who won her from many rivals was one long trial, Mrs. James Gorman, wife of a wealthy real estate owner and business man of Wadsworth, Nevada, today filed a petition for a divorce in this city.

According to the complaint the prelude to the stormy drama described by the wife took place at Quebec, where she, as Caroline A. Edgar, daughter of Robert A. Edgar, minister and member of Parliament at Ottawa, had at her feet half of the young bloods of the British garrison. Reports of the golden fortunes hidden in Nevada's mountains reached Edgar at that time when his political party was ousted from power and he made the long westward journey with his daughter. Arrived there she met and married Gorman. Their married life was unhappy from the beginning because of her husband's uncontrolled jealousy and cruelty, she alleges, which reached a climax last year when he used physical force to bend her to his will, beating and abusing her frequently.

Mrs. Gorman says her husband has large sums on deposit with the Henderson Banking Company of Elko, Nev., and in the First National Bank of Elko and that there is community property worth \$20,000 of which she seeks one-half and a liberal allowance in permanent alimony.

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There is a wonderful range of color and weave in this assortment. Among the weaves are Foulards, Surahs, Taffetas, Crepes, plain and fancy flowered patterns and double width Silk Mulls.

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